

468 DEAD IN JAPAN FLOODS

THREE MILLION
PEOPLE TO
PRAY FOR
GAYNOR

Services Today in the Gotham Churches of Every Denomination.

MAY NOT PROSECUTE
WOULD-BE ASSASSIN

Plans to Ask That Gallagher Be Examined by the Lunacy Commission.

Gaynor's Assailant
Threatened McKinley

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—James J. Gallagher, who seriously wounded Mayor Gaynor, also wrote threatening letters some twelve years ago against President McKinley, Lyman J. Gage, then secretary of the Treasury, William F. Wakeman, then auditor of the port of New York, and others whom he held responsible for his discharge from the army.

This new chapter in Gallagher's record was brought to light today by Wakeman.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—In the churches of every denomination in New York tomorrow there will be a day of prayer for the recovery of Mayor Gaynor.

Bishop Grider, of the Episcopal diocese, and Archbishop Farley, of the Roman Catholic archdiocese, have formally requested the clergymen under them to offer prayer for the Mayor, while the pastors of other Protestant denominations, Jewish rabbis, in fact every sect, the announcement is made that divine aid for the stricken Mayor will be asked for at tomorrow's services.

PRAY FOR EXECUTIVE.
In not less than half a thousand places of worship, representing 2,000,000 worshippers, prayers will go up for the speedy recovery of the stricken executive of this city. At the hospital in Hoboken, the utmost confidence is felt for the quick recovery of Mayor Gaynor.

Up to this time there have been no indications of infection and in the minds of the attending physicians the danger point is now passed. No less than three physicians will be on duty all day tomorrow in order to meet promptly any emergency which may arise.

MAY NOT PROSECUTE.
With utter disbelief that any man in his right mind would deliberately seek his life, Mayor Gaynor announced through his son, Louis, that he did not wish James Gallagher prosecuted. The Mayor appeared confident of his recovery and charitably said that so long as the attempt had failed he wished Gallagher to be examined as to his sanity.

"It is father's belief, as well as my own," said young Gaynor, "that Gallagher is insane, and father would rather have the man judged a lunatic, if he is, than to prosecute him for the shooting."

"I know my father never wishes to see Gallagher and that he will shrink from appearing against him. He is not willing to believe that any sane man would strike him down in so cowardly a manner as this man did Tuesday morning."

"When father gets well, as we are sure he will, we are going to insist that he has a bodyguard. If necessary I'll go to Commissioner Baker myself and insist that the Mayor have a bodyguard, if one had been with him on the ship he never would have been attacked. That man knew there was no bodyguard and that he would have little difficulty in approaching father."

Young Gaynor was asked if he had seen the prisoner.

"No," was the quick reply. "I

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HUSBANDS IN OAKLAND WITH
AFFINITIES; WIVES DIVORCE

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 13.—Mrs. Victorine Legree was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from Eugene Legree today by Judge Hutton. Five minutes later her sister, Mrs. Louise de Rouff, obtained a divorce from Joseph de Rouff. To make it a real family affair, both had employed the same attorney, both were ready to be witnesses for each other, both alleged desertion and that their respective husbands had affinities, and both testified that the men were living in Oakland after having deserted them.

Following the decision of the court, principals and witnesses

WIFE OF TURF PLUNGER
MORALS OF GAMESTER

MRS. HARRY LEWIS, wife of erstwhile plunger, who is now in jail.

BRITISH WAR DOG
GOES ON ROCKS
DURING FOG

ARMORED CRUISER DUKE OF EDINBURGH, WITH 750 ABOARD, GOES ASHORE.

PORTSMOUTH, England, Aug. 13.—The first-class British armored cruiser Duke of Edinburgh, with 750 officers and men on board, went ashore tonight in a dense fog, striking on the rocks of St. Catherine, Isle of Wight, and is in a dangerous position.

As soon as the vessel was found to be fast on the rock ledge, not far from the shore, where great crowds have been present for the regatta week, her commander, Captain Hon. Robert F. Boyle, set his wireless in operation, flashing calls for assistance to all quarters. The messages were caught here and tags went racing out through the fog to locate and aid the helpless vessel.

VESSELS RUSH TO AID.

It is said that other vessels of the British navy which picked up the wireless messages were on their way to the point where the Duke of Edinburgh struck.

Later it was learned that the officers and men had remained at their posts on the cruiser despite her dangerous position. Further messages have not been received.

An effort to tow the cruiser off, if such attempt is deemed advisable, will be made only in the morning. The sea is smooth, but the warship was driven hard on the rocks by her own momentum, even while traveling at reduced speed.

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GAMBLING A CURSE
IS PLAIN OF
LEWIS

From Prison Cell, One-Time Racing Devotee, Harry Lewis, Moralizes.

"When gambling on horse races is abolished, one-half of the misery in the world will cease. It's a game that will get the best of anybody in the end and I, for one, will be thankful when the anti-gambling laws are enacted in all the states."

"The minute you separate from your bank roll, your friends begin to separate from you."

These are reflections of "Plunger" Harry Lewis, who ten years ago upset the local sporting world by placing \$5000 bets on the horses at Emeryville and netting the season over \$100,000 richer. He is now held in the county jail at Oakland pending his transportation to New York where he is wanted to face an imbedded indictment.

ARRESTED IN OREGON.

Lewis was arrested in Portland, Oregon, after crossing the line from Alberta, Canada. Since that time he has been moralizing and he is now contemplating suicide to right living.

"I've made fortunes and I've spent them," he explained, "and the only experience that I have gained is that it is better to think before than after. Nobody can do the latter, but it's the wise man who is capable of the former. That's where I have fallen down."

Lewis appeared on the Emeryville course in 1901-2 and began laying \$5000 bets. His luck was phenomenal and he became a national figure in the sporting world. He followed the races during the winter and in the summer months played angel to financial comedies. While backing the "Fluffy Ruffles Company" in Connecticut he met his wife, an actress.

BECAME AN "ANGEL."

Shortly after he became financially embarrassed and took J. Oppenheimer into the venture as treasurer of the company. Oppenheimer is responsible for Lewis' plight, having charged him with embezzling \$1500.

When arrested by Detectives Fitzsimmons and Heuroux of the New York department at Portland, Lewis offered to set \$7000 to \$50 that he was not the man they were after. His identification depended upon a mole. This was missing and he was released. He was arrested finally in Salem, Oregon, when it was learned that he had removed the bimonthly \$1500. Lewis explains that he forfeited \$2000 bail in New York so felt that he had exonerated his alleged offense. He says that is a matter of fact he was en route home when apprehended. The detectives declare that he has evaded them for two years.

MRS. M'KIM
WINS HER
DIVORCE
DECREE

Is Granted Absolute Separation From Husband on Grounds of Cruelty.

"I AM SO HAPPY," SAYS DOCTOR'S FORMER WIFE

Reno Divorce Colony; Crowds Stuff Courtroom When Case Is Called.

RENO, Nev., Aug. 13.—Mrs. Smith Hollis McKim was today granted an absolute decree of divorce from her doctor husband. The decree was granted without a single question from the court after Mrs. McKim had occupied the witness stand for twenty-five minutes, during which time she related a sensational tale of alleged drunkenness and cruelty on the part of her husband. The entire court proceedings lasted one hour and twenty minutes, during which time the stuffy little courtroom of Judge McKim was crowded to suffocation with members of the Reno divorce colony.

DIVORCE THANKS JUDGE.

When the final decree was handed down Mrs. McKim impetuously rushed forward to where Judge McKim was sitting on the bench and thanked him almost hysterically.

Mrs. McKim's testimony was given early in the proceedings. Dr. McKim was not represented by a lawyer and Mrs. McKim was saved the ordeal of cross-examination.

An unusual proceeding was the filing of every paper in the case individually as exhibits for record. Though the defendant refused to come within the jurisdiction of the court, even after the Supreme Court had sustained the District Court in refusing a plea of abatement, Judge McKim ordered that the husband be recorded as making an appearance, which decree is to carry.

NO MONEY SETTLEMENT.

Mrs. McKim does not resume her maiden name and declares that no money settlement was made.

Because of this procedure Dr. McKim can do nothing more in the Nevada or United States court. It is understood, however, that he intends to bring an action in the United States court. The consequences of today's action rivals any other divorce case ever tried in Reno.

"I am so happy," declared Mrs. McKim after the decree had been handed down. "I have got just what I deserved. Although Dr. McKim tried to make it so hard for me, I am so happy, so happy I can now rest peacefully in my little home near my father arrives in September. But for the illness of my mother we would take a good long hunting trip in the mountains in the meantime. You do not know what a load has been taken off my shoulders, and I

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Stay Out of Politics?
Nay, Nay, Says Bryan

Democrat Says He 'Will Speak Wherever He Is Needed.'

RESHVILLE, Ind., Aug. 13.—William J. Bryan has no intention of keeping out of politics. He made this plain to his friends after his Chattanooga address.

"I shall speak during the Congressional campaign whenever my friends think I can be of assistance," declared Bryan. "This year's campaign is the utmost importance to the welfare of the people of the United States. The attitude of Congress and the government toward many questions of prime importance will be determined next November. I owe too much to the American people to remain out of the fight."

Boys Wanted

Boys with bicycles wanted to carry the election returns. Apply at once at Editorial Rooms,

THE TRIBUNE

NOTED BEAUTY IS FREED
HEIRESS THANKS JUDGE

MRS. MARGARET McKIM, Who Obtained Divorce in Reno Yesterday.

Sheriff to Question
Kendall's Neighbors
To Learn of Threats

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Aug. 13.—Sheriff J. K. Smith expects to leave for Cazadero tomorrow. The object of his mission is to see some of the people living there and in the vicinity of the Starbuck ranch and secure some additional details concerning any threats they may have heard against the Kendalls.

From Cazadero reports have come of certain statements that have been made which District Attorney Lea and Sheriff Smith think important. All this evidence is being carefully collected and preserved so that when the Grand Jury is summoned Lea will have the whole case to lay before the body as far as the investigation can go at this time.

BUT ONE SUSPECT.

District Attorney Lea was asked tonight whether he had any information that could point definitely to Yamaguchi as having had an accomplice. He replied that he had not. "Of course the investigation is not completed, but at present I have no other suspect in view."

Another two hour conference was held between Sheriff Smith and District Attorney Lea at the courthouse when the matter was gone over. Sheriff Smith was to have gone to Cazadero today but other matters prevented his going. Things at the Cazadero end are being carefully watched by Deputy Sheriff A. L. Truesper and his brother, Judge F. Truesper.

WAITING FOR NEWS.

Lea has not heard from the anonymous letter writer who told him that if publicity was given to the fact of his having received the letter he would give his identity and give him some more valuable and incriminating evidence. Lea has not given up hope that he will hear from the writer, whose letter was postmarked Santa Francisco.

The date for the meeting of the Grand Jury is still in abeyance. It is expected that early in the week the district attorney may ask Foreman J. S. Taylor to call the nineteen members of the jury together for the examination into the Kendall murder.

TOLD TO BRING DOG.

Curran rang up the phone number given in the advertisement. "A woman answered the phone," said he, "and when I told her I had found a dog just like the one advertised for she seemed pleased and told me to return it to number 116 Lake street, which I did. There a Jap answered the door. He said that the woman was out but that he would take the dog, which he did paying me \$2 as the reward. Several days afterward I learned that I had returned the animal to the Starbuck home and I notified Captain of Detectives Walter J. Petersen, thinking that the incident might have some bearing on the case. He made a note of my report, but said nothing further."

The authorities have repeatedly stated that Yamaguchi would be found with the black dog; that the two were together. The question arises, "Where was the dog July 28?" He was left at the Starbuck residence when the Jap is supposed to have gone away. A few hours later it was found in West Oakland. The possibility that "Koaly" may have followed Yamaguchi in his flight is only one of many

HAD DOG THEN.
"Henry came to the house and he had the black dog with him. I am not positive that it is 'Koaly,' the dog we had at the ranch more than a year ago. He looks just like him, and Henry says that he is the same dog. At one time we told Henry to bring 'Koaly' down to us. When Mamma saw the dog she asked Henry about the animal and he replied, 'I bring him to you.' We kept the dog Henry stayed about twenty minutes."

IN THE TRIBUNE of July 27 appeared the following advertisement, received too late to classify:

Lost—Medium large black dog, shaggy hair, patch of white under chin, picked himself up collar, wears "Koaly" around neck. Reward. J. F. Curran of 1028 Willow street stated to a TRIBUNE reporter last

THOUSANDS
STARVING AND
HOMELESS
IN TOKIO

Another Embankment in Capital Gives Way; Property Loss Appalling; Food Supply Almost Exhausted

Vegetables and Fish Are Almost Consumed and Famine Faces Refugees

TOKIO, Aug. 14.—At 6 o'clock this morning it was announced that the flood was subsiding. The casualties reported up to date are 468 dead and 500 missing. The damage to property is enormous.

The River Sumisa is almost up to the level of the bridges and is still rising. The Honjo and Fukadawa wards of the city are completely under water.

One of the three more important embankments guarding Tokio has been destroyed. Should the third dyke break, half of the capital would be submerged.

The embankments are guarded by troops.

The Fukadawa gas and electric lights are failing.

Thousands of homeless persons are being sheltered in temples and school houses.

Vegetables and fish supplies are failing and the stock of biscuits is nearly exhausted. There is no fear, however, for the supply of rice.

Jim Jeffries Loans \$50,000 Profits of Fight to a Laundry

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 13.—James J. Jeffries, former champion prize-fighter of the world, has gone into the laundry business. Not that he is advertising it, but \$50,000 of the money he received for the Reno fight he loaned to a local laundry company and took a mortgage on the concern for the amount. Elmer E. McDowell, the attorney, filed the mortgage with the county recorder today.

Shortly after receiving his money Jeffries invested \$15,000 and that, with the \$28,000 which was the amount he is said to have expended for his training and incident expenses, \$43,000 of his share is accounted for.

Coach Hits Cave-In; One Passenger Dead

Fatal Accident at Wyoming Resort After Many Other Vehicles Had Passed.

MANMOUTH HOT SPRINGS, Wyo., Aug. 13.—This morning when the third coach from the resort passed through Silver Gate, about three miles from Mammoth Hot Springs, it encountered a slight cave-in in the road. The coach with its load of people sank about ten feet.

Daniel Mackay of New York who, with his wife, was touring the park, was killed. Mrs. Mackay received injuries, but her condition is not reported as serious. Other people who were bruised or suffered from the shock of the accident are J. L. Louchter, New York; Miss Mueller, Chicago; and W. P. Almon of Helena, Mont.

The Hutchinson party in thirteen coaches from Chicago and about twenty other coaches had passed safely over about ten minutes before.

"Uncle Joe" Certain Of Being Re-Elected

Speaker Says He Will Not Be Ousted by Disgruntled Republicans

DANVILLE, Ill., Aug. 13.—"I do not know whether we will have a majority in the House or not. I hope we will. If we do I know of nothing which will prevent me from going into the campaign and abiding by its result. My friends have repeatedly requested me to make a statement."

This is it. I know of nothing that will prevent me from being elected to the next House and again its speaker if my party wants me." So said Speaker Cannon tonight.

Prefacing an interview with the former speaker, the Speaker let it be known that he did not propose to be read out of his party or driven from its councils by a few disgruntled Republican newspapers and some insurgents.

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AERIAL CIRCUS BY AVIATORS THRILLS THROUGHS

Pirouetting and Whirling in Marvelous Fashion Features Aeroplane Exhibition.

THIRD FATALITY IS FEARED BY BIRD-MAN

Attempt May Be Made to Break Drexel's Height Record of 8700 Feet.

DOULAI, France, Aug. 12.—After a tremendous struggle with the elements, Aviators Aubert and Le Blanc, both flying Blériot monoplane, arrived here this evening, completing the fourth stage of the circuitous race for which Le Blanc offers a \$20,000 prize. They flew from Mestres, a distance of 138 kilometers. Le Blanc arrived thirty minutes after Aubert.

The other starters could not finish but alighted uninjured in muddy fields.

ASHBURY PARK, N. J., Aug. 13.—Immaculate Archie Hoxsey, the duke of the Wright aviators, and his rival, Ralph Johnstone, the former trick bicycle rider, were again the lustrous stars of the aviation doings at Ashbury park today. The Hoxsey cut capers that made the enormous crowd delirious, while Johnstone soared to a height variously estimated between 4000 and 5000 feet. No accurate measurements could be taken because the aviator carried no barograph and there was no transponder on the grounds.

IDEAL FOR FLIGHTS.

It was an ideal day for flight. The wind blew very gently and the sunlit blue sky was covered with a thin veil of white, fleecy clouds. Wilbur Wright, who arrived unexpectedly, characterized it as the sort of day an aviator should choose to fly 10,000 feet into the sky, but incidentally he said that none of his aviators would attempt to fly so high at this meeting. The Aero Club of America, unless the Aero Club of America, unless the records. If this can be arranged, either Brooks or Hoxsey will attempt to smash Drexel's record of 8750 feet before the end of the week.

AVIATORS SUPERSTITIOUS.

There is a strong superstition prevalent among the aviators gathered here that one more of their number must suffer as a victim to the rod of misfortune. They seriously will tell one that three accidents must happen before this meet is over. Since poor Prinz was killed last evening they have been watching the sky with a keen eye. But the feeling does not interfere with their work. They displayed even more daring today than they have ever shown before.

MAKES SHORT FLIGHT.

Frank Coffey, whom everybody on the field has come to distinguish by reason of his lovable little son, made a short flight of a few minutes after 4 o'clock. Coffey is still in the Wright primary class and did not attempt stunts. Little Fred Owens went up in his dirigible balloon after 4 o'clock and completed his flight after an exhibition of fourteen minutes' duration. While Owens was soaring at a height of 1000 feet, twirling, turning and diving, a few minutes after 4 o'clock in the air. Shortly after Hoxsey followed him, but there was a rift in the fastidious California boy's heart. He had been instructed to do his fiery antics on the ground. The crowd, however, did not mind. It was being treated to the rare sight of two aeroplanes in flight simultaneously while the dirigible was being towed back and forth between the van of their propellers and a wee toy balloon floated triumphantly over all.

LIKE AERIAL CIRCUS.

It was like looking at a three-ring circus. Hoxsey made a number of pirouetting turns, whirling over his head, pirouetting like a ballet dancer, and did an aerial hop, skip and jump. Johnstone in the meantime tore upward after Owens' dirigible. Riding as steadily and beautifully as a winged gull, he slowly maneuvered it in a wide circle, while the dirigible was being towed back and forth between the van of their propellers and a wee toy balloon floated triumphantly over all.

SENSATIONAL FLIGHT.

After being twenty-five minutes in the air Johnstone reached his greatest height. At this point, estimated by Wright at 4000 feet and by his assistants at 5000 feet, the van of the motor was still up, but as the machine came coasting down under full power in the same wide swooping circles his drumming sound gradually became audible. At 300 feet from the ground Johnstone shut off his motor and slid to the ground in a beautiful glide. Just thirty-six minutes after he rose from the earth he stepped from the craft and was mobbed by his admirers.

The body of Benny Prinz, who was killed yesterday in the fall from his parachute was shipped to New York today without an inquest. It will be buried tomorrow.

Scotch Company Wins Big American Contract

Captures Panama Canal Dredger-work From Union Iron Works

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Scottish dredging machinery manufacturers have captured the contract for the construction of a steel ladder dredge for the Panama canal. The contract has been given to the Scott & Bowne Co., of Glasgow, Scotland, by order of President Taft at a price that is approximately \$600,000 lower than the bid of the Union Iron Works of San Francisco the only American bidder.

WHAT THE JURISTS OF THE STATE THINK OF HENRY P. DALTON AND HIS TESTIMONY UNDER OATH

When Confronted With This Argument Recently as a Reason 'Why He should Not Be Continued in Office Dalton Said the Circumstances Related to Affairs of Years Ago. Note the Date of the Decisions Running as Recent as September 14 and November 13, 1908.

Henry P. Dalton's Testimony Under Oath Before Judge Henry A. Melvin

"This sum which I paid to Mr. Miller, \$2650, is the amount actually incurred by me for that work, and is the cost of the work to me."

"There was no difference between the actual cost of this work to me and the money expended by me for it."

"I have retained no part of this money."

(See page 131, folio 387, transcript on appeal from case No. 20,092.)

Judge Melvin's Decision After Hearing Testimony of Henry P. Dalton

"The actual cost incurred by said Henry P. Dalton as assessor of the county of Alameda, in preparing, in the year 1902, in the manner set forth in plaintiff's complaint, the complete certified copies of his assessment books, so far as said assessment books pertained to the property within the corporate limits of the city of Oakland, was the sum of \$651."

"The difference between said actual cost and the sum paid to said Henry P. Dalton by said city of Oakland is the sum of \$1999."

"That said defendants, nor neither of them, nor any one upon the part of said defendants or either of them, has paid said sum of \$1999, or any part of said sum, to the above named plaintiff, county of Alameda."

(See records on file in said case, No. 20,037; also transcript on appeal in said case, page 23, folio 61 to 64.)

Presiding Justice James A. Cooper on the Credibility of Henry P. Dalton

"But they (the Daltons) insist that the evidence in this case shows that the assessor actually paid Miller the whole \$2650, receiving no part thereof himself. The trial court found otherwise, and the evidence in our opinion justifies the findings."

"It seems at least improbable that Miller received \$2600 from Dalton."

"We concur: HALL, J. KERRIGAN, J."

(See vol. 9, California Appellate Reports, page 24 to 31. This opinion was rendered by Justices Cooper, Hall and Kerrigan, September 14, 1908, and is approved by the Supreme Court Nov. 13, 1908.)

WOMAN READERS OF TRIBUNE ON QUI VIVE TO HEAR TALK ON THE SECRETS OF BEAUTY

Disclosures to Be Made by Miss Annette Kellerman at the Oakland Orpheum Tomorrow Morning Awaited Anxiously by Members of Fair Sex of County

Tickets for Mermald's Lecture at The Tribune

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Wonders for Health

The "Aquatic Princess" as she has been poetically termed, was at one time feeble in health and lacking in the symmetrical curves which have won her fame throughout the civilized world, by correct living and intelligent systematic exercise, he overcame her early deficiencies and reached the pinnacle of physical perfection. She wants to see Oakland women improve, "not that they need it," she demurely said, "but there may be some who would be benefited by my advice, and as so many have written me asking questions, I welcomed the opportunity given me by THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE, to address all the women direct. It will be for women only and I will be glad to discuss any subject with any woman in the audience. I have passed through much sickness myself and I want to see all women healthy and beautiful, which is nothing more than their natural and proper state."

Ask Plenty of Questions

In order to enable women to ask any question desired, cards will be distributed upon which queries may be written and Miss Kellerman will make answer from the stage. She will speak on exercise—the system invented by herself—dieting, and all matters relating to health and beauty.

THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE believes that Miss Kellerman may be able to benefit many women, and for this reason has arranged the lecture which will be held Monday morning. All women who desire to learn of Miss Kellerman's success should attend.

JOHN D. WELCOMES AERONAUT GUEST

Passes Up Warm Supper to Greet Youthful Man-Bird on the Front Lawn.

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DARING GIRLS TAKE THRILLING RIDE TO LAKE TAHOE

Young Women Pass Over Trail Never Before Dared Except by Redmen.

RETURN TO CITY OVER SAME ROUTE

Story of Dangers Passed Excites Admiration of the Old Pioneers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—Animated by the spirit of adventure which impelled the early pioneers to blaze new trails, two San Francisco girls, neither of the mount of their teens, achieved a feat of horsemanship which no white woman before them and few Indians have ever attempted. They rode to Lake Tahoe and return over a route known only to the Indian trappers and hunters. They encountered experiences that match the thrilling stories which the frontiersmen used to tell. Miss Josephine Jones and her sister, Miss Hazel Jones, the pretty young daughters of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Sager, made this remarkable trip. Since they were old enough to toddle each has owned her own horse. Hazel, who is 17, owns a beautiful black horse which Queen Virginia Bogue rode on the third day of the Forto fiesta last year, and for which its owner, John Tully of Modesto, refused \$2500. Leaving San Francisco at 10 o'clock, the girls rode toward Placerville. Up to that point the trip had been uneventful. It was the stretch between Placerville and Lake Tahoe which caused the girls to be regarded as heroines when they finally arrived at Lake Tahoe. This stretch, which is no one but an Indian over attempted, they reduced the stretch from 75 to 18 miles.

VICTIM OF TAFT'S AUTO MADE HAPPY

Given Luxuriant Treatment, \$500 and Sent Home to Italy.

BEVERLY, Mass., Aug. 13.—When Michael Angelo de Gregorio, Italian laborer on the road near Beverly, stepped in front of Governor Taft's motor car last June, he stepped into a fortune. Michael Angelo was knocked down and run over and taken to the hospital. There he was tended by Dr. William J. Miller of Boston, who responded to the appeal of President Taft. After careful and skillful attention and luxurious convalescence, Governor Taft returned to the pick and shovel on the roadway. The President had been a frequent caller, and when he was allowed to talk to his patient, he learned that the Italian heart was to go home. Gregorio went home on the steam train Italian the week. He came over steamer, but went back second-class. First-class was offered him, but he wanted only to be happy, not gorgeous. Not only was his passage paid, but President Taft presented \$500 to him. When Michael Angelo was told that the \$500 was all velvet—that is, that all his expenses home would be paid in addition—Michael Angelo promptly sent the \$500 home in advance of his sailing. That means 2300 lire in Italy, and Gregorio's life, with his frugal habits, is fixed for life.

Stableman Dopes Nag; Owner Is Ruled Off

FORT WORTH, Tex., Aug. 13.—A. B. Buckles and A. L. Williams, Dallas, members of the hospital corps, Texas National Guard, were shot and killed at Abilene, about 100 miles south of Fort Worth, by a private, also of Dallas. The men had quarreled.

PAYS GOTHAM BACK FOR NIGHT LODGING AFTER YEARS PASS

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—New York City's conscience fund has been enriched by a contribution of one dollar forwarded from Mayor Gaynor's office by the Mayor's secretary. The money was received at the City Hall a few days ago from Pittsfield, with a letter which read: "Dear Mayor Gaynor: I was in your city one time and did not have any money. I stayed one night as the guest of the city and I sent you some stamps for pay. I had frozen fast. I asked one and did not work for pay. This was five or six years ago. It is supposed that the man was a guest of one of the city's lodging houses."

STRIKING CARMEN HOLD CITY IN THEIR GRIP

Mayor Asks 2000 Citizens to Volunteer in an Effort to Subdue Lawlessness

COLUMBUS, - Aug. 13.—The third week of the strike of the street car men closed with the city apparently more powerless than at any time heretofore to cope with the disorderly element of her population. In a public statement justifying his conduct in the matter, Mayor Marshall called for 2000 citizens to volunteer in restoring order. Mayor Marshall spent the day in conference and announced that policemen would ride on the cars again tonight. He said this evening he had not thought of calling the troops back on that he still believed he would be able to restore order with the police. He still insists that the strikebreakers whom the street car company brought to Columbus are largely responsible for the lawlessness. Much they commit, the mayor says, and much they incite. The street car company issued an order directing all its old employees to return to work by 10 a. m. Monday or consider their employment at an end. Those who return are to be paid in full for all time out on strike. The strikers laughed at it. To date seven persons have been shot, one wounded by acid and fifty-four wounded, more or less seriously by stones. Twenty-three police tonight joined in the mutiny of the thirty-eight regulars who last night threw down their clubs rather than obey Mayor Marshall's orders to ride street cars. They were immediately discharged.

Police Fail to Find Missing Mill Worker

Although a thorough investigation has been made, the police have been unable to locate Lewis Gravel, who disappeared after an Golden Gate planing mill, from which he had been discharged, was burned to the ground Friday morning.

Gravel was last seen on Saturday afternoon. At that time he told his wife that he would leave himself or his mother an hour later he was noticed loitering near the mill. As yet the police have not completed their investigation into the burning of the building.

Papal Nuncio Asks Audience With Queen

SAN SEBASTIAN, Aug. 1.—The Papal Nuncio at Madrid had an interview here today with Senor Prieto, minister of foreign affairs. It is reported he asked for an audience with the queen mother.

GAYNOR BELIEVES GALLAGHER INSANE

Victim of Would-Be Slayer's Bullet May Not Prosecute Him.

MAYOR GAYNOR IS HOLDING HIS OWN, SAY THE SURGEONS

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—At 8:30 o'clock this evening the following bulletin was issued to the public: "Mayor Gaynor's condition this evening continues to be satisfactory. He has had a restful day without pain or discomfort and no untoward symptoms have developed."

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never want to see him. I did not see the shooting, and I did not see the man when Edwards brought him. I am afraid to see him, as I don't know what I might be prompted to do."

ALL HAVE CONFIDENCE.

Regarding the Mayor's condition, he said that his mother and the entire family had the utmost confidence in the physicians' report that the Mayor was well on the road to recovery.

Bulletins from St. Mary's Hospital in Hoboken throughout the day continued most optimistic. The Mayor manifested an interest in outside affairs and was anxious about conditions at the city hall. He appeared fairly strong and was talking to an extent. He joked with the nurses and with his private secretary, Robert Adamson, who said:

"I'LL BE BACK SOON."

"When I read to the Mayor a telegram from the City Hall Reporters' Association, expressing gratification at his improvement, and adding, 'We hope you will soon be back with us,' he fairly beamed and said: 'Tell them I'll be back with them sooner than they expect.'"

"He is in fine spirits now and there is nothing for him but to get a bit of added strength before we can remove him from the hospital."

The Mayor's appetite is excellent and his condition so greatly improved that additions were made to his usual diet of soft-boiled eggs, coffee and tea, along with the customary beef and chicken broth.

"Do they think that I am in training for a prizefight?" he asked with a smile.

GALLAGHER HOPEFUL.

The news that Mayor Gaynor continued to improve was given to Gallagher in his cell at Hudson county jail, Jersey City. The would-be assassin began to cry.

"I hope the old man gets well in a hurry," he said. "I'm sorry I shot him and I want him to get well."

"The word 'old man' isn't vindictive," Gallagher told a fellow-prisoner. "He probably asked them to go light with me, knowing the wrongs that were done to me."

Gallagher has asked several times what his punishment probably would be if the Mayor should get well. He has received no information on the point.

READY FOR EMERGENCY.

Tomorrow Dr. Brewer, chief of the surgeons on the case, will be in charge all day. The operating table is kept ready for any emergency. The tools are all laid out. Private wires have been strung to the room of the medical men in St. Mary's Hospital, where the patient lies, connecting with the different physicians and surgeons. Any change in condition that infection was spreading from the bullet fired by James J. Gallagher, the discharged city employee, would be a dash bringing them all to the operating table. The telephone company keeps an automobile handy night and day, prepared to collect telephone girls if friends had to be summoned.

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A strong feature of Judge Samuels' judicial career is his absolute avoidance of offensive participation in practical politics. Under our system, it is necessary that a Judge shall proclaim his candidacy and shall make a dignified campaign, so that the voters will know who is seeking their suffrage. Judge Samuels has always performed this service in a most dignified way and has never permitted himself to be dominated by politics or politicians. He declares that he would sooner resign from the bench than permit himself to disgrace it by taking orders from political bosses.

George Samuels, known to everybody, has resided in Oakland for thirty-five years. During that long time he has made the acquaintance of thousands of people, and when he decided to enter public life many years ago, a majority of the voters at once proclaimed themselves as being willing to trust him with a responsible office. As an assistant district attorney, George Samuels made an estimable record and during the eight years he has sat on the police bench, he has entrenched himself very strongly in the estimation of the public and the bar, and has invariably earned the respect of hundreds of unfortunates who have come before him.

Alameda County Republican Club
Young Men's Republican Club of annexed dist.
Danish-American Republican Club.
Electrical Workers' Union No. 59.
Young Men's Social Improvement & Pol. Club.
Young Men's Sixth Ward Republican Club
West Oakland Republican Club.
Idle Hour Republican Club.
Melrose Republican Club.
Irish-American League.
Allendale Republican Club

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Swedish-American Republican Club.
Teamsters' Union Local No. 70.
Elmhurst Republican Club.
Order of Railroad Conductors No. 364.
Afro-American League.
Dimond Republican Club.
Scandinavian Republican Club.
Alameda County Bolo Club.
Fruitvale Republican Club.
Republican Club of the 51st Assembly District.**

NOTE—You will not find the words "POLICE JUDGE" on your ballot. The Police Judges are elected under the title of "JUSTICE OF THE PEACE." Under this latter heading you will find Judge Samuels' name—put a cross against it and you will be doing what is absolutely right.

EARL OF SPENCER DIES IN ENGLAND

Former Chancellor of Victoria
University Passes Away

LONDON, Aug. 13.—J. P. Spencer, fifth Earl of Spencer, died here today. He was born in 1833.

The earl twice held the posts of Viceroy of Ireland and president of the council and was first lord of the admiralty from 1892 to 1895.

Up to 1907 he was chancellor of the Victoria University. Viscount Althorp, half brother of the earl, succeeds to the title.

Blames "Blind Pig" for Wife's Absence

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Frank Matley, a painter, in an answer to his wife's divorce complaint, charging desertion, accuses her of spending nearly all of her time in a "blind pig" at 1440 Castro street. He objects to the company his wife keeps, saying that she and her friends often take their small children into the "blind pig."

Bronson Pease, an employee in the post-office, was ordered to pay his wife, Sadie, \$15 a month for the support of their child. Judge Graham several weeks ago refused to grant the woman a divorce.

The following suits for divorce were filed:

Cima against Hal J. Slaty, desertion.

Milfred against Leo S. Levin, failure to support.

That politicians may have the same control over the county government that they have of the city government they have decided that Supervisor Bridge must be succeeded by F. F. Morse, and Mott

He was one of the most prominent silver men of the country died here day of the infirmities of old age. He was born at Wales, N. Y., in 1814 and lived in the civil war, where he was breveted brigadier general. He was a

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RIFLEMEN LEAVE FOR OHIO RANGE

National Guard Men Will Test Their Ability at Camp Perry Tourney.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—A picked team of riflemen from the California National Guard left for Camp Perry, Ohio, today, where it will compete in the national rifle tournament, beginning on Monday, August 22. Teams from the militia of the various states and territories are to take part in these annual contests under the auspices of the War Department.

This is the sixth year a team will have represented California. This state has climbed to fifteenth place in the list and is expected to gain a higher position this time because of the excellence of the marksmen who represent it this summer.

A large number of the militiamen were at the ferry to bid the members of the team good-bye last evening. The officers in charge of the team consist of Major John G. Lee, Captain Albert B. Austin and Captain Joshua B. McKern.

The men going East, selected by means of various competitive shooting contests among all the members of the guard during the past two weeks, are as follows:

First Sergeant Francis Webster, San Diego; Quartermaster Sergeant Frank J. Bencomb, Los Angeles; Sergeant Henry J. Lewis, Woodland; Captain Frank W. Cameron, Sacramento; Lieutenant James A. Eastbrook, Sacramento; Private Chester A. Kimball, Oakland; Sergeant Henry Marshall, San Rafael; Captain E. H. H. Sanborn, Santa Rosa; Cook Earl F. Brown, San Francisco; Sergeant Leo A. Jackson, Livermore; Sergeant Roy Y. Roff, Palmdale; Private Leonard Bert J. Donnell, Los Angeles; Sergeant Ernest D. Smith, Los Angeles; Private Leonard Fred H. Campbell, Redlands.

BARBER SHOPS TO OPEN HERE TODAY

Several Tonsorial Parlors Will Oppose Rules of Union; War Promised.

There is every likelihood that there will be inaugurated today a fight to finish between the Barbers Union and the owners of barber shops in this city on the question of keeping open on Sunday. The barber shop in the Arcade Hotel, the one in the Key Route Inn and the Plaza, one of the oldest places in the city, will open today for business. Two of the places will place non-union men at work. The fight will be watched with interest by other shops and the probabilities are that a general war will be waged.

The owners of the Oakland shops complain that they must remain open on Sunday to make a living for the reason that the shops of San Francisco keep open and are allowed by the unions to lure men and pay them by the hour. Such a permission has been declined in this city and the shops suffer as a result of the competition.

ELMHURST FAVORITE MAY BE QUEEN OF COMING FESTIVAL



MISS ARLINE SHAW, who is a candidate for Queen of the Elmhurst Carnival, which will open August 18 and will continue until August 21 in Elmhurst. The festival will be held under the auspices of Elmhurst Court of Foresters.

—Arrowsmith, Photo.

Court Elmhurst, F. of A., has issued a cordial invitation to the different courts in cities about the bay to join in a celebration at Elmhurst August 18, 19, 20 and 21.

All of the latest in entertainment for children has been provided. The celebration will commence with a parade Thursday evening, August 18, in which all are invited to participate.

"The Court of Justice" will be presided over by the nominees for police judge, whom practicing lawyers will have to respect. The nominees for constables will be the royal guard to the queen of the carnival. City officials and men in different walks of life have assumed the committee of their co-operation.

FEDERAL CLERKS WIN COLONEL IRISH'S PRAISE

Lauds Deputy Naval Officer of Customs and His Assistants for Their Capable Work

(By JOHN P. IRISH)

The clerical force in the various departments of the Federal government is subject to much misunderstanding, and unwarranted jealousy. It is a hard-working and responsible service, for upon its integrity and skill depend the collection and expenditure of the Federal revenues, without loss to the people who pay the bill.

An experience of sixteen years in the Treasury service has inspired me with profound respect for the clerks. The heads of divisions and departments come and go with political and personal changes in the government. They emerge from politics into office and drop from office back into politics, if they can. But the clerks and the permanent administrators of public business and expert in its transaction. When a new head comes in to be over them, he rarely learns anything of the public business he is supposed to manage, and takes his work from the clerks who have to know.

NO PUBLIC DISPLAY.

Take the naval office of customs as an example. I was its head for sixteen years. All of the business of the Customs House has to pass through it for revision, correction and verification. It corrects the errors made by the collector and sends him to the Treasury Department with a clean credit sheet. The Naval office keeps no press agent, and makes no public display or disclosure of its work. Perhaps if it did the public opinion that it is a useless office and its work would be subject to revision. For instance, if it published as Custom House news that in one month it discovered and corrected errors against the Government made by the Collector, amounting to \$50,000, and the next \$60,000, and the next \$40,000, by that time the Collector would become an object of suspicion, and would be anxious to tell the public that that is what the Naval office is for and it all happens in the course of business. The extremely responsible nature of the duties of the Naval office require in it a force of clerks of unusual attainments. The pleasantest memories of my life are of my association with many of these clerks, hard-working, faithful men, and with salaries by no means adequate.

SIBERIAN EXPLORER.

One of the Naval office clerks, a veteran of the Civil war, was one of the first American explorers in Siberia, and wrote a valuable and interesting book on that land that was once called by Alexander the Great, and then rested for centuries, without effort by the outside world to know its physical features and its people. Another, also a veteran of the Civil war, was the author of that sweet war lyric "Somebody's Darling," that has survived in the school readers.

Another was Captain Flint, now dead. He left Harvard in his youth and joined a new York regiment in the Civil war. He became a dashing cavalry officer, and closed his service in Phil. Sheridan's staff. He was a lovable character. Long a resident in Nevada, he served there as Superintendent of Schools. One of his noted characteristics was his love of animals and birds and his care for them. In Nevada he noticed that the humming

birds were numerous one season when the honey bloom was scarce, and to keep them alive and feed their young he bought honey and every day he put out a dish of the little birds might feed. In the Custom House every day he put out wheat on the wide window sills to feed the pigeons that flocked to share his bounty.

CLASSICAL SCHOLAR.

He was a sound classical scholar and used his leisure in making translations of Virgil and of other Latin and Greek classics. Peace to his rest and honor to his memory. Another clerk, now dead also, was a copious and interesting writer on psychology. Another is a fiction writer of popular, also has published a novel of permanent value, with Shakespeare as its central character and motive, and whose short stories are eagerly sought by publishers. Another did not pass the State bar, but was adopted by the last Legislature, was a step in the right direction. The club had helped to draft the State bill. Loveland pointed out that some of its features were contained in the Wright law.

CONTROL OF DEPUTY.

The routine of the office is under the special control of the deputy. After being with him for sixteen years, I find it difficult to make proper attribution to the splendid qualities of E. V. Maslin, the deputy naval officer. He came around the Horn as a California pioneer in the high days of our early history. Sound lawyer, profound publicist, and with a practical knowledge of horticulture and our great industries, equaled by that of few men, he is a possessor of excellent literary taste, and is so buoyant with the joy of living that as a friend and companion he is a blessing and inspiration. When California makes up the head roll of her worthy citizens, they will find themselves in a society with the memory of Ed Maslin.

These men are fair types of the government clerk. They work hard, serve the government faithfully, and without their fidelity and integrity our public business would fall into confusion from which the ephemeral appointees to headships would be unable to extricate it.

Tenyo Maru to Sail Under New Captain

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Captain Ernest Bent, commander of the Japanese liner Tenyo Maru, has been taken ill since his arrival in port, and is confined to his home here. The Tenyo Maru will be taken out on her next voyage, beginning Tuesday afternoon, by Captain W. C. T. S. Pinner, who, since resigning from the service of the Tovo Kisen Kaisha some months ago, has been a resident of San Francisco. The illness of Captain Bent is said to be not serious, and he expects to resume command upon the return of the liner to this port.

There were 149 saloon passengers booked for the Tenyo Maru, and the second cabin will contain about fifty passengers. Since her arrival here on August 6 the liner has been at pier 34, the Western Pacific dock where all the freight has been discharged and the steamer placed in fine condition for her coming voyage. As usual, the Tenyo Maru has been overhauled throughout, and Port Steward James Giddens has been the busiest man on the waterfront, looking after the multitudinous details connected with the outfitting of the great ocean liner.

LOVELAND TELLS OF NEEDED LAWS

Railroad Commissioner Delivers Non-Political Talk Before Organization.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Colonel H. D. Loveland, a member of the present board of railroad commissioners and an aspirant for the Republican nomination for the same position at the primary election on next Tuesday, made an address at noon today at the Commonwealth Club's luncheon at the Palace Hotel on "How to Make the Railroad Commission More Useful to the People."

Colonel Loveland eschewed any talk on politics and in his brief address impressed upon the members of the club the importance of electing men to the Legislature pledged to enact proper railway laws so that the commission could have ample powers to deal with the people's demands on the railroads for reasonable service and rates and other matters.

He remarked that the Wright law, adopted by the last Legislature, was a step in the right direction. The club had not done much for the State, but Loveland pointed out that some of its features were contained in the Wright law.

The speaker told of the useful work

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Various new styles and colors; also black; all sizes for misses and women—\$20.00 and upwards.

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Imported models and materials; 3/4 and full lengths—\$32.50 to \$60.00. Correct patterns now on display.

Tourist, Auto and Outing Coats in many styles; made of various weights of materials; the models are exclusive and mostly one of a kind—\$17.50 to \$45.00.

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The correct offerings of Paris and New York fashion shops. Our buyer has displayed unusual taste in selection.

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'3 WEEKS' MAY NOT BE ALLOWED

Police to Pass On Dramatization of Eleanor Glynn's Notorious Book.

"Three Weeks" a dramatization of the novel of the same name written by Eleanor Glynn, has been placed in the same category of morals with prize fights and horse races by the ministerial bodies of Oakland and its production in this city, booked for this week at the Macdonough theater.

According to Superintendent of Police Wilson, the play may not be allowed on the boards at the local playhouse. He said yesterday:

"My attention has been called to the play by the ministers and many other people of Oakland who have requested me to use my official position to stop the production and if it does not come up to the standard of such plays of like nature, the police will likely be called upon to prevent the appearance of the company in 'Three Weeks.' 'I am not acquainted with the details of the play and only know what I have heard from other sources. But where there is so much smoke there must be some fire and if what people say in regard to it is true, I will be forced to take some action.'"

Chinese Lottery Is Raided by Police

The police last night raided the general merchandise store of Yen Sing, 845 Eighth street, and arrested the proprietor on the charge of selling lottery tickets. The police have had the place of Yen Sing under surveillance for some time. At the time of the arrest there was no one else in the store, excepting Yen Sing.

Vacations Spent in Trips North by Sea

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Of the 400 voyagers going to sea this afternoon on the liner Governor for Seattle, nearly 200 were through passengers from Los Angeles, who are on vacation trips, their outing by sea enabling them to visit this city and immediate points of interest during the days' sojourn of the Governor here.

The White House

ORIENTAL RUGS AND CARPETS

AN EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENT HAS JUST BEEN RECEIVED, COMPRISING PERSIAN AND TURKISH WEAVES, IN SIZES FROM THE SMALLEST RUGS TO EXTRA LARGE CARPETS.

SPECIAL ATTENTION HAS BEEN GIVEN TO THE SELECTION OF CARPET SIZES FROM 9 FEET BY 12 FEET TO 14 FEET BY 17 FEET, WHICH ARE PRICED

From \$175 to \$1200

SMALLER SIZE RUGS FROM

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SAN FRANCISCO

WORK OF GIRLS OF WEST EASIER THAN EAST

Lives of Mothers of New York Workers Sapped by Grind.

MARVEL IS THAT THEY ARE ABLE TO BE GOOD

So Says Trades Union Leaguer in Appeal for Better Wages.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The condition of the working girl in the West is much better than that of her sister in the East. So says Mrs. Raymond Robbins, president of the Woman's National Trades Union League, who has an intimate knowledge of the subject of which she speaks, through her long study of industrial problems and a broad sympathy for her less fortunate sisters.

"Few of the girls in the West start to work at the ages of 12 and 13, as they do here," she said. "We have our child labor problems, but none like you have. The girls who work in your city belong to the second and third generation—a generation in which the mothers have been ground down by much labor. In the West the supporting process has not yet begun the second generation. It consequently the women workers of the West have more vitality.

"If emigration to this country should be shut off suddenly," she continued, "it would be only a short time before we should feel our great physical loss. The strongest women come over here and transmit their strength to their children and that is why our girl workers have more vitality than yours, for it is in the West that the peasantry of Europe settles, and now we are at the turn of the tide.

BETTER TIMES COMING.

"I think better times are coming for our women workers. The question is, whether the intelligent women of our country will join with us to make the tide rise higher and hurry on that better day."

Mrs. Robbins said of the wealthy women who trade in shops: "They are stupid—I don't mean naturally stupid. They are surrounded by a high wall over which they cannot look and to the top of which they cannot climb.

"The average wage of the woman worker is \$2.00 per year. And you must remember that average means above as well as below. In the industries something like two-thirds of the woman workers are getting \$6 per week. Deduct room rent and the price of meals from \$6 a week and what have you left? It is not very difficult for a girl to lead an honest life under such conditions."

GOOD WOMEN, SHE SAYS.

"Yes, and the marvel of it is that so many thousands of them are good women, as I know they are. They are good women who are not living on nothing but rye bread and olive oil," said she, "in order to scrape together enough money to buy a new hat or a new dress."

"What is the remedy for such a condition of affairs?" she was asked. "One remedy is trades unionism. Organize the women and teach them to think and act. Another is the ballot. I am an ardent suffragist. Everybody is who has ever had anything to do with women workers."

"I believe in equal opportunities for women as well as men. In this city the trouble has been that thousands are searching for every job, instead of the job searching for somebody to take it."

AMERICANS WIN FISHERIES CASE

Hearing of Celebrated Arbitration at the Hague Ends With Honors Conceded

LONDON, Aug. 13.—Elfrid Root's brief summing up for the United States in the North Atlantic Fisheries Association at the Hague confers on the conclusion already made by the majority of impartial observers who have followed the decision that the decision will be in the main favorable to their contentions.

The Dutch, Belgian, German and French jurists who have heard all the testimony in the case since Sir Robert Phillimore, on behalf of Canada, took this view early in June, when the conference opened. The arbitration has two months after the close of Mr. Root's speech before the need under their decision. It is believed they will reach one somewhat sooner.

At the close of the conference a "sensible" period, though careful to disclaim the formation of any definite opinion.

ENORMOUS TASK ENDS.

There has been an enormous multiplicity of detail and the task originally confronting the arbitrators and counsel was probably the most stupendous in the kind of legal work ever had, having quasi judicial functions. But, in the language of former Senator George Turner, it has proved a "mere bagatelle" compared with the catastrophe just happily averted.

Document, which laid before the tribunal exclusive of briefs. The most elaborate of the latter was filed by R. P. Warren of Detroit, who covered in this way what he would have needed a day and a half to do with orally. Mr. Warren spoke for three and a half days.

HUMOR IS INJECTED

Mr. Turner's address, coming first in the American side and following the peculiarly benevolent manner of Linley, who spoke for three-eighths of the day with a variation in emphasis, was all the more grateful to the tribunal because of the humor with which it was dashed. His banter was especially enjoyed by the Austrian people of the tribunal, Professor Lemmasch, who was convulsed with laughter.



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Our advance display is well ahead of the season and includes an excellent representation of the latest modes showing the severe tailoring that is the most prominent feature of the new season's style. We await the judgment of women who know; not impatiently, however, for we are confident of their verdict. Prices are:

\$20, \$22.50, \$25 and to \$45

Beautifully-finished broadcloths, English mixtures, fancy serges, tweeds, nigger-head and diagonals in black and the richest of Fall shadings are the fabrics most favored by Fashion.

At \$27.50 Strictly tailored broadcloth suit. Manish-cut coat, lined with Skinner satin; plain gored skirt, all autumn shades.

At \$20 Snappy suit of tweed; a mannish mixture; strictly tailored; velvet collar; gored skirt; a splendid value at the price.

Our Reorganized Millinery Department Offers a Preliminary Display of

MODISH FALL HATS

Faultless in conception, perfect in execution, stunning in their general effect and remarkably reasonable in price. **\$5, \$6.50, \$7.50 and to \$22.50**

Our Millinery Department is now under the direction of Mrs. Gertrude Reed, an expert milliner of long experience in metropolitan centers and an enthusiastic connoisseur of stylish headwear. Our formal Opening Display, of which due notice will be given, will prove our claim to combine the highest excellence of style with prices that will astonish.

Men's Fall Underwear

This is a department to which we are now giving special attention. Its lines are restricted to Men's Underwear, Night Gowns and Hosiery—things that women can purchase just as well as men. We direct special attention to the following seasonable numbers:

Men's Underwear

Men's gray unshrinkable wool-mixed Shirts and Drawers, heavy grade for winter wear, one of our leaders; sizes from 32 to 50... **\$1.00 Garment**

Men's medium weight woolen Shirts and Drawers, the celebrated "Glastenbury" brand of health underwear, all sizes... **\$1.00 Garment**

Men's winter weight "Glastenbury" underwear, made of soft flannel, steam-shrunk yard... **\$1.50 Garment**

Double-breasted shirts... **\$1.75 Garment**

Double-seated Drawers... **\$1.75 Garment**

Men's medium weight Balbriggan shirts and Drawers, sizes 32 to 50... **50c Garment**

Men's medium weight natural wool Shirts and Drawers, the well-known "Glastenbury" brand, guaranteed... **\$2.00 Garment**

Men's Night Gowns

Men's flannelette Night Gowns, in a desirable line of plain white or fancy stripes, made of heavy quality flannelette, carefully finished in every particular. Full 58-inch length; sizes 15 to 20... **\$1.00 Each**

Men's muslin Night Gowns, plain or twilled, high-grade muslin; excellent finish, with or without collar full width and length... **\$1.00 Each**

Men's Hosiery

Men's Sox—We carry a carefully selected line of all the standard makes in men's hosiery: cotton, hole thread, cashmere, mercurized and silk, plain or fancy; ranging in price from... **\$12½c to \$1.50 Pair**

Men's heavy wool Sox in black or gray, one of our leading values... **25c Pair**

Table Damask 50c

64 inches wide. A good, mercerized cloth; all the luster and finish of linen; wear, well, washes well; fine choice of floral and spot patterns.

SPECIAL SALE OF WASH BELTINGS 1/2 Price

About 1000 yards of New Wash Belting, both in all-white, light blue, blue, pink and black-and-white combinations, in a very large variety of patterns that sell regularly for 20c and 25c a yard—Now on sale... **10c yd**

Things for the Little Juniors

Here's a Fall-stocked department filled with just those things that will interest mothers at this time. We'll tell of just a few tit-bits today; they will readily suggest others that are here.

INFANTS' CROCHETED SACQUES.

Everything from the plain little styles up to the most elaborate baby sacques, made of the finest yarn and finished with silk edging; some are white with yokes of solid pink and blue. Altogether they're a dainty lot, in grades at—

35c, 50c, 65c and to \$2.25

Hand-crocheted nightgowns; white, edged with pink and blue silk, with ribbon heading to match, 85c.

INFANTS' CROCHETED BOOTIES.

From the very short styles to those that reach above the knees, made of the finest quality of yarn; others of silk—

15c, 20c, 25c, and to 85c pr.

INFANTS' DRAWER LEGGINGS.

In white and red, some with open feet others with closed feet—

35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$1.45

INFANTS' SWEATERS.

In white, red and gray. Some are plain button front, high neck, others with the V neck, also with belts—

65c, 75c, 85c to \$2.50

INFANTS' TOQUES.

A complete line of silk and wool toques to match sweaters and leggings, colors white, white trimmed with pink and blue, red, navy and oxford—

25c, 35c, 50c, 65c and 75c

Little Folks' Headwear

Little bonnets, made of white beaver cloth, trimmed with pink and blue ribbons and baby roses, prices **\$1.25, \$1.75 to \$2.50.**

Other styles in larger shapes, made of felt, beaver cloth and black velvet, white, black, rose and Copenhagen blue, prices—

\$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.25 to \$3.50

Felt hats, plain tailored, with felt bows, others trimmed with soft ribbons and small roses, suitable for tiny misses.

\$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and to \$5.00

Clever School Hats

Plain felt, mushroom shapes, for little children; red, brown and navy... **\$1.35**

Smart felt hats for misses, with broad brims, round crown and silk sash... **\$2.00**

Beaver hats, little folks' sizes, red, natural, navy, brown and black... **\$3.75**

Large sizes, with broad brims... **\$3.95**

HARPER'S BAZAAR PRIZE EMBROIDERY CONTEST

164 Prizes, Worth Nearly \$1000. All the patterns for working will be found in our Art Section. If you have not read of this great contest, ask us about it.

Crib Blankets 59c

32 and 42 inches wide. Soft and fleecy, pink or blue; daintily figured with daisies and clover, bow knots, Teddy bears, rabbits, kittens, etc.

JUSTICE FRANK ENDS CAMPAIGN

Makes a Thorough Canvass of Eden Township for Re-Election to Present Office.

SAN LEANDRO, Aug. 13.—Justice of the Peace J. N. Frank has spent a busy week traveling about over Eden township canvassing among the voters for their support of him at the approaching primaries. Mr. Eden, San Lorenzo, Hayward, Castro Valley and various other points of this township have been personally visited by Judge Frank, and from the reports given him by his constituents he feels practically assured of his re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace.

Judge Frank has a wide acquaintance throughout this part of the county, which his fourteen years of practice as an attorney in this place has given him. He is well known as a man of great integrity, and as being an honest and impartial judge, his sense of discrimination in meeting out justice in the cases brought to his attention has gained for him an honorable reputation among the jurists of Alameda county, and it is thought that the record which Judge Frank has made as a Justice of the Peace will only put him into the same file as a second term.

Besides being a member of the San Leandro Chamber of Commerce, Justice Frank is also the present City Clerk and a member of a number of fraternal orders here. He is a member of all of the Masonic orders and a Thirty-second degree Scottish Rite Mason. He is a member of the Odd Fellows and also of the Modern Woodmen of America.

Punishment stimulates the conscience most.

CHINESE NUPTIAL COUCH IN FLAMES: BURNS FAIR BRIDE

Sweeping silk curtains surrounded the nuptial couch of Gim Joy and Miss Sue Sue, who were married at a celestial ceremony Friday evening. When Gim Joy retired last night he left the gas jet near the bed still burning and a random breeze carried one of the curtains close to the jet, and before he could reach this morning when the Chinaman and his bride awoke from their slumbers the bed was consumed with flames and they narrowly escaped with their lives.

The fleecy garments of Mrs. Gim Joy, Sue Sue, provided at great expense as a portion of her trousseau, caught in the flame and as she sprang screaming from the couch, the fire was flaming about her body.

GROOM SAVES BRIDE.

She was carried by the groom into an adjoining room and from there the terrified bride in a blanket and rolled her on the floor in the effort to extinguish the flames.

Before she succeeded the Chinese girl had been frightfully burned about the arms, legs, and body, and her face was severely burned and marked. Joy's hands were severely burned in carrying her out of the nuptial chamber, but he was otherwise unharmed.

The fire occurred at a Chinese lodging house at the northeast corner of Second and Harrison streets, in which the two had taken a room preliminary to going on their Chinese honeymoon. A call was put in and the fire companies responded, but the flames had been extinguished by other lodgers in the place before the arrival of the firemen.

BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Butter—Fancy cream, 21½c; seconds, 20½c; fancy dairy, 21½c. Eggs—St. Louis, 22c; fancy ranch, 23½c. Cheese—New York, 14½c; Young America, 16½c. CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—Cheese—Steady. Dairies. Eggs—Steady. Young America, 16½c. BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE. Aug. 13.—Butter, cheese and eggs firm, unchanged.

OIL WELL FLOW IS SENSATIONAL

Forty Thousand Barrels a Day Average, According to Production Men.

BAKERSFIELD, Aug. 13.—Well No. 79 of the American Oil Fields, located on section 26, 31-22 in the north Midway territory which has been the center of the last few weeks in oil circles, this afternoon once again the big gusher, and the big gusher broke loose at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon, and the flow came with such a rush and with so great a pressure that the land pipes, valves and other paraphernalia previously arranged to care for the output were brushed aside like so many toothpicks.

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WEARS AWAY DERICK.

In half an hour the constant beating of the great stream of black fluid, intermingled with which was sand, shells and small cobbles from the depths of the hole, had worn away the top of the derrick and the crown block fell.

The well, according to the latest information, is still flowing at this tremendous rate, and has far outstripped the best of the old wells. This producer is the most remarkable, excepting possibly the Lacey well, of any in the field. It was drilled at a low cost and in a remarkably short time. It is less than a thousand feet in depth and has but one string of casing, twelve and a half inches, with no water to shut off. It is producing from a 155-foot stratum, and the first day that it was brought into the output in oil more than paid the cost of the well. Its performance tonight is about what it has ever done since being brought in.

General Gordon To Locate Here

General David S. Gordon, U. S. A., retired, has rented his residence in El Estero at the Hotel Victoria, San Francisco.

BIG AUTOMOBILE PARADE TO FEATURE W. P. ARRIVAL

Merchants Will Be Asked to Close Stores So Clerks May Attend Celebration; Prominent Oaklanders to Speak

Arrangements for the big celebration in honor of the arrival of the Western Pacific train at Oakland, August 22, are practically complete. The committees having reported at a meeting of the general committee held at the Chamber of Commerce.

The report of the committee on program, presented by the chairman, Frank A. Leach, outlined the general scheme for the celebration, as well as for the entertainment to be furnished officials of the road and visiting correspondents.

It was decided to have the procession form on Washington street, north to Fifth street, the exact point to be settled later. In addition, the members of the committee will request all merchants of Oakland to close their stores at 4 o'clock on the day of the celebration, so all clerks may attend.

Invitations will be sent officials and commercial organizations of all towns and cities in Alameda county asking them to attend.

PLAN GREAT ARCH.

E. A. Young, chairman of the decoration committee, reported that it had been decided to have erected a great arch, which will show the meeting of rails with steamships. This arch will be built on Third street, between Broadway and Washington.

Washington and Broadway, south of

Seventh and Third street will be decorated with flags and bunting in honor of the first train.

All auto owners will be invited to take part in the parade, and if plans do not materialize, the procession will be one that will be a credit to Oakland, as well as to the men who have arranged it. It will consist of autos, horses and carriages, bands and industrial features. Many of the floats will be loaded with attractive displays of the new road.

At the meeting last night J. J. Harriman was selected for the office of grand marshal. He will be assisted by D. E. Perkins and Fred Jordan.

WILL BE SHOWN THE CITY.

Following the parade the officials of the road and visiting newspaper correspondents will be taken by auto for a drive about the city. Afterward they will be taken to the County Club, where a buffet luncheon will be served.

At last night's meeting it was decided to add several members to the finance committee, which is now composed of the following: James T. Taylor, William J. Lawrence, A. J. Snyder, O. O. Gier, R. S. Kitchner, R. A. Leet and Wilbur Walker.

Walter S. Mackay presided at the session.

Steamship Manager On Visit in North

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Captain I. N. Hebbard, superintendent of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, has gone to Seattle to look after the arrival of the company at the various northern ports, and will be absent about three weeks. Between keeping the big fleet in running order at these headquarters, Captain Hebbard's duties require his presence not only at Puget Sound, but other points along the stretch of coast between Seattle and San Diego, for the company's passenger and freight train is at the present time heavier than ever before in the history of the concern.

BOY ROBBER TO ANSWER CHARGES

Supposed Leader of Youthful Highwaymen Is Arraigned in Berkeley.

BERKELEY, Aug. 13.—Jesus Gonzales, of 1200 Berkeley way, the oldest of the trio of boy highwaymen taken into custody by the local police, was arraigned in the justice court today. His preliminary examination will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Gonzales was sent to the county jail pending trial. In a suit of \$2000 last Professor Carlos Bransby of the University of California acted as interpreter for Gonzales' arraignment.

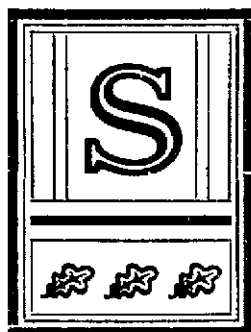
Bryant Kirk, of 1227 Francisco street, who loaned his gun to Gonzales with the understanding that he was to receive a portion of the loot, is being held at the Alameda county detention home.

Nicholas Kauffman, whom the police believe to be the leader of the band, is held in detention at the county jail, having been refused admission at the detention home. It is probable that he and Kirk will come before the juvenile court for examination.

Donald Woods, Teddy Whitman and Will Connolly, three other school boys whose names were discovered on a secret code seized by the police in a search of the barn at Kirk's home, will not be arrested, according to Chief of Police Volmer. The chief, after a careful investigation, declares that the latter three were in no way connected with the series of hold-ups, and that they were merely acquaintances of the trio under arrest.

While Kauffman is believed to have been the leader of the secret band, the program is thought to have been devised for the most part by Gonzales. He is a half-breed, a young Indian and many of the characters found in the code are fac-similes of Indian hieroglyphics. Some of the signs are identical to the cattle brands found in the southwest, in Texas and Mexico. Dr. A. W. Kirk, father of young Kirk, will make an effort to have his son admitted to probation.

Night Life on the Beach IS ON THE WANE



SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—A feature of San Francisco's night life is just now waning and may be sick unto death. I refer to the beach life, with the entertainers and the dancing.

We all remember when three or four resorts near Golden Gate Park or on the beach boulevard were thronged nightly. The life was always gay. Sometimes the place was hot. Way into the dim morning hours the automobiles flashed up and down, out and back, like giant fireflies. Money was made by the handful.

Now the fickle public has shifted its fun following. The resorts are open. Some automobiles come and go. But the beach life by night is a tradition rather than a fact. The frolic may start up again, and it may not. There is no telling what sort of a twist or turn will come to the desires of merry-hearted San Francisco when it seeks its joy 'nights.

Lee Lloyd, most popular of the beach entertainers, has gone, or is going, on a vaudeville circuit. Even the two girl singers at the Cliff House, who are high-grade artists, cannot draw the crowds. Many of the dance floors are practically deserted, except on favored evenings.

By the way, the seals have left the rocks again, and there is growing a sort of beach belief that when they go they take prosperity with them. So many an eye stretches seaward waiting for a return of the seals and the clink of the coin. This superstition has invaded the baseball field also, and there are those who attribute the recent slump by our San Francisco team to the fact that the seal herd has gone off shore.

The Young Lady and the Shoe Clerk

The latest of the club stories is being told at the expense of one of your most beautiful and witching Oakland belles. She must have told it on herself, however, else it never would have become public.

She was in a popular shoe store on this side the bay having her tootsies fitted to a pair of the latest shoes. The shoe clerk was trying to make conversation. Evidently from the dash of your beauty he somewhat mistook her station in life. However he rattled on, trying to make a hit, and she affably responded.

"Did you feel that earthquake last night?" he inquired.

"Yes."

"Did it frighten you?"

"Yes."

"Where were you?"

"In the theater."

"Oh yes; what company are you with this year?"

Why So Chary of the Name?

What is the underlying reason that William Randolph Hearst is never given credit for his gift of the Greek Theater to the University of California? What malign influence prevents giving honor where honor is due?

We are all familiar with President Wheeler's bad break at the time of the Roosevelt visit. We know how industriously Hearst's name is suppressed in the newspapers whenever the theater is mentioned. But now comes an official publication and offers in the same small way.

The official blue book for this year has just come from the State Printing Office. It is compiled under the direction of Secretary of State Charles F. Curry. From year to year it grows more and more voluminous and contains more and more valuable data. This year's book is far ahead of any of those preceding it. But why should I read under two pictures of State University scenes:

"Phebe A. Hearst Mining Building."

"Greek Theater."

Entitled to a Big Circulation

We are to have a history of our Police Department. An authorized work is to tell of its origin, growth and accomplishments. The deeds of daring and the exhibitions of detective acumen will be set forth at length. There will be appropriate illustrations, bringing the book right down to the thousand dollar diamond star presented to Commissioner Percy Henderson.

Perhaps some inside information will not be set forth at length. I fear the things the general public would like most to know about will not be told. But it unquestionably will be a splendid volume, as the subscription cost is to be \$25 per volume.

And the work is assured of a big sale. Any publisher would delight in having so fine a cinch. That book will be found in many business houses. The liquor dealers will have it to a man. Every interest that hopes for "protection" or expects to require it will at once become a subscriber at \$25 per. Perhaps the day will come when a struggling publisher will

apply to the Police Department as a circulation agency.

Discomfiting the Town Wit

The newspaper men who have been haunting far Cazadero on the Kendall-Starbuck-Yamaguchi story brought back with them two merry tales. One was of the blacksmith's helper who was also the town barber. One of the visitors wanted a shave in a hurry and the blacksmith barber accommodated him.

"You're fired," said the blacksmith when he returned to the shop.

"Why?"

"For being a barber on your blacksmith time."

The other tale was of the town wit and the way he was undone. His name is W. A. Cockrill, and he sat in front of the store spilling his humor right and left. Along rode a citizen on a donkey.

"A here did you get your brother?" asked the wit. "Down at your mother's house," came the prompt reply.

The Governor and the Game

Around the Palace during the last few days has been Mark Smith, long the representative of Arizona in Congress and now likely to be the first United States Senator under statehood. Among other things he told this yarn on John T. Gaffey, the Los Angeles capitalist and wit:

"Gaffey and Ned Townsend and Harry Gillig had come to Phoenix to visit Frank Hatch, and Frank took them around. It was in the days when everything was wide open and the boys of chance were in power. The visitor met Punch and Breeze, Johnny Behind the Deuce and other local characters. Then they were introduced to some of the men in power—Assemblyman Johnson, Senator Freeze, Territorial Auditor Peckworth and others who were considered worth meeting.

"Now most of these officials ran little games of their own. For instance, Freeze had a roulette wheel, Beckworth operated a policy game, Johnson mixed the drinks, and so on down the line. At each introduction there would be a round of clinking glasses and then the visitors would buck the game of the official they had just met.

"Well, luck was not with the new-comers, and the next day found them broke and a little cross. Hatch was promptly on hand to continue his introductions. At that time Hughes was Governor—a street church man and leading prohibitionist. Spying him, Hatch called him up, saying:

"Governor Hughes, I want you to meet Senator Gaffey, Collector of the Port of Los Angeles. Senator, this is Governor Hughes."

"There was a baleful gleam in Gaffey's eye as he extended a reluctant hand and said:

"Governor, what is your little game?"

McCoy's Hit at the Bohemian Jinks

The Mid-summer Jinks of the Bohemian Club at The Grove in the Sonoma redwoods were particularly enjoyable this year. The music was especially fine and is being extravagantly praised by the Bohemians who say it ranks with the best ever.

The great feature of the jinks was "The Cave Man," a musical drama of the redwoods, words by Charles K. Field and music by W. J. McCoy of Oakland, who has heretofore distinguished himself by original compositions of a high order. "The Cave Man" contains some of the finest numbers McCoy has ever written, and will enhance his reputation as a master of the lyric art.

A distinguished company figured in the cast, the principal characters being taken by Judge Henry A. Melvin, Waldemar Young, Spencer Grant, Orrin A. Wilson, Frank P. Deering, David Bispham, Harry A. Russell, Richard Hotelling, Wyndham McCraff, Vail Bakewell, Edward H. Hamilton and Frederick J. Koster. The "Song of the Mating" is a rare bit of melody that the club members are all whistling and humming.

An interesting bit of byplay took place while the Mating Song was being rendered. A flock of two or three hundred pigeons came to camp with the Bohemian revelers and made themselves at home in the grove. While the Mating Song was being sung a pair of pigeons alighted in a tree a few feet away from Leader McCoy and began to bill and coo in union with the amorous notes of the music. They kept this up till the song ended and then fluttered away among the boughs for a more ardent honeymoon.

How Favre Has Made Good

After the big fire Eugene B. Favre was a reporter on the Examiner, and a good reporter, too. He had an offer of an editorship in Spokane and accepted it. But when he reached that city he found the man who had made him the offer couldn't deliver the job, and he was in a strange town without a salary.

But he jumped into a job as solicitor. In this he made such a success that he was asked to take a small place in a bank. Inside of a month he was at

the head of a department in that bank, and from that he went right up.

It was 1907 when he hit Spokane. Now he is a director, in the Spokane and Eastern Trust Company, the biggest financial institution in all the Northwest and is a partner of Alonzo B. Murphy in a banking firm. In the corporation he is twenty years younger than the next youngest director. All of which shows what a young American can do when he gets started right.

They Don't Laugh at Him Now

A few years ago when Willis Polk was a struggling architect it became a sort of society fad to laugh at his vagaries and to tell stories that he had built a beautiful house without a chimney or had started a mansion without any consideration for a front door. All said: "Willis has genius, but he is not practical."

That talk has long ceased. Polk has recently purchased the entire business of D. H. Burnham & Company on his coast—a business of which he had formerly been the partner-manager. He has business that runs into millions in his office and has demonstrated his practicality in the beautiful First National Bank, already over 85 per cent leased at rates greatly higher than those charged in any other office building in the city.

Polk still indulges in a vagary now and then. He is an active member of the stonemasons' union and has been unanimously chosen as marshal of his union in the big Labor Day parade. But there is a method in this seeming madness. The union men like Polk, and as a consequence work with him on a job instead of against him. "Let's give the little fellow a lift," they say, and things go ahead on his buildings while they drag on others.

Democratic Love Feast

Leaders of the various factions of the Democratic party in this city and state are talking, even preaching, "ha money." The long warring Bourbons yearn to embrace and make up. Harmony is to be made the keynote of the Democratic state and county conventions. The executive committee of the state governing body is arranging for a love feast. Enemies in many a factional fray are longing for a reunion that they may lie down in peace once more.

It is even related in Bourbon circles that Gavin McNab and Theodore A. Bell are moved by emotions of tenderness approaching affection. That these two rivals for Democratic leadership will come together in a harmony, which is the outcome of a mutual desire to defeat the common political enemy, is probable overtone to effect that benign result having been made an negotiation now pending.

An appropriate emblem of this proposed harmony has been discussed in hotel lobbies and other resorts where Democrats occasionally meet. The dove-bird, long-time symbol of peace and parity, does not seem adequate to typify the present situation.

The Democrats are possessed with a belief that out of the present political situation they may get some paragon with which to appease their cravings for political jobs. They look to have the Republican factions defeated in the approaching primary and rally to the support of Bell and in that way secure the election of that candidate next November. John F. Murray, secretary of the Democratic State Central Committee, has been writing to the county committees advising them to continue their collusion operations with the Lincoln-Roosevelt League and declaring that the "dissatisfied Republican vote will elect Bell regardless of who the Republicans may nominate for Governor."

In one of his official communications Murray writes: "By working as you have in close conjunction with the Good Government organization you will gain an appreciable support from the Republicans, and if the Good Government Republicans of Los Angeles, by which I mean, of course, the Lincoln-Roosevelt League, are familiarized with your works, etc., you should receive the moral and material encouragement of the league's adherents."

Political Acrobat

State Senator Dick Welsh has encountered a formidable rival in the role of greatest political acrobat in "Red" Hayes, candidate for Congress from the Fifth District. Early in the campaign Hayes, through his San Jose papers, came out for Hiram Johnson for Governor and then stopped so suddenly in his support of that candidate that the Lincoln-Roosevelt Leaguers are wondering if he is asleep at the switch or suffering from temporarily suspended animation.

When "Red" came home from Congress he blamed his brother "Black" Hayes for the attitude of the journals they run jointly and the rouge brother entered in on an alliance with Charlie Curry, and none but Curry men were given employment at the Congressmen's political headquarters.

Now the "Red" brother is cavorting on the political sward as an Anderson lamb, and bleating plaintively the praises of that candidate for Governor.

There are still two days to the primary and Hayes has ample time to make alliances with Ellery and

Stanton and complete a record as a political harlequin that will make Senator Dick appear as an amateur at that game of merry andrew.

Vote at the Primary

There is a wide difference of opinion in respect to the number of votes that will be cast at the primary next Tuesday. There are those who believe that of the 400,000 and more electors registered throughout the State at least 200,000 will vote at the preliminary election, while others estimate that the primary vote will not exceed 125,000. Those who expect a small vote tell of the indifference of the electors, which is not sustained by the large registration, and further claim that as this is the busy season with the farmers they will not leave their harvesting to vote except in instances where there is some particularly bitter contest over a local office.

The Alden Anderson people express the belief that their candidate will come to the Tehachapi ridge with a vote from the eight southern counties equal to that given Stanton and Johnson, otherwise that these three candidates for Governor will break even in the south with 30 per cent each, the remaining 10 per cent of the southern Republican vote going to the other two candidates for the nomination of that party for Governor.

The managers of Hiram Johnson's campaign claim that that candidate will come out of the south with a plurality of 12,000, while Curry also claims a plurality in the south.

In San Francisco the pluralities claimed by the gubernatorial candidates are such that the total registration would have to be 100,000 instead of 67,500 to accommodate all of them. Curry's supporters express the belief that he will receive more votes here than all the other candidates; Johnson is going, in his own mind, to secure a majority vote, while Anderson as the candidate of the regular Republican organization is calmly confident that his will be a plurality ranging from 3000 to 7000 votes.

It is a self-evident fact that at least four of the five candidates for Governor will be disappointed.

Round-up Complete

The round-up for the primary next Tuesday is about completed. The result of the preliminary election, should it be close, will be known about next Thursday, as the tickets of some of the parties are long by reason of the number of candidates for certain offices, while the ballots of the minor organizations are printed largely in blank spaces being left for the elector to write in the name of the candidate of his choice. The length of the ballots and the writing of the names means a long and trying count, or canvass, on the part of the election clerks.

Should the contest for any office or offices be very close the canvass of the Secretary of State may be necessary to determine the result. The county clerks and registrars of voters will return the vote of their counties by precincts and these returns will be canvassed by the Secretary of State at Sacramento. This State official makes corrections of clerical and other apparent errors in the returns, all of which consumes time and protracts the canvass. In some instances the returns are in such shape that they have to be returned to the county clerk to be straightened out before accepted by the Secretary of State.

A remarkable feature of the present canvass is the confidence of the individual candidates that they will be nominated and elected. Of the five candidates for the Republican nomination for Governor all are sure, according to their personal expression, that they will knock the persimmon. The same attitude obtains with the other executive, judicial and legislative candidates. I have not met a single candidate who admits a possibility of defeat.

That seeking a nomination under the direct primary law is not a poor man's game has been abundantly established even to this date in the canvass. If the estimates of the interior press be accepted, the five candidates for Governor alone have had expended in their own behalf in excess of \$500,000. There are tangible evidences of an expenditure by the managers of the campaign of these candidates, and by friends in their behalf, of fully \$250,000.

Death of James Jordan

The recent death in this city of James Clark Jordan, the capitalist and large real estate operator in Oakland, San Francisco and other points in California, marked the passing of another member of one of Boston's most conspicuous families. Eben Dyer Jordan, the father of the deceased and one of the founders of the great drygoods house of Jordan, Marsh & Co. in Boston, had a career only paralleled in the hero of the popular juvenile story-book. Born in a small town in Maine, he left his home when a mere youth, walking to Boston and carrying in a bandanna handkerchief, suspended from a sick borne on his shoulder, all his worldly possessions.

As the head of the greatest drygoods house east of New York he amassed a large fortune for those times. Colonel Jim Fisk, Wall street speculator, commander

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of New York's crack military regiment and who was subsequently shot by Edward Stokes over Josie Mansfield, the actress, was at one time a partner of Jordan's. There was a rupture over an army contract for blankets during the civil war, the profitable contract having been taken in the name of Fisk rather than that of the firm.

Kent's Freak Ideas

There has been some spicy correspondence between William Kent, who poses as an insurgent and reformer, in his fight for a Congressional nomination in the Second District against McKinlay, the incumbent, and Frank H. Short of Fresno. When Kent spoke at Chico some people there alluded to him as a freak. Short spoke there a few nights after Kent. The latter got the impression that Short in his Chico address had styled him a freak. Short is too fair and dignified an opponent to indulge in such personalities. Being advised that Kent was indignant that he should have called him names, Short wrote him a letter of denial. In the course of it Short stated: "I never thought of calling you a freak. However, I am strongly of the belief from your actions and public utterances, Mr. Kent, that you have a collection of curios and freaks in the way of conservation ideas." Mr. Kent got petulant at the railway of Short's epistle and in curtly replying said: "I don't care what you think. You are not a good conservationist, anyhow." By the way, circular letters over the signature of Gifford Pinchot are being received here from the Eastern headquarters of the Conservation League of America. The letters set forth in a prominent way that the work of the league is non-partisan. Recipients of copies of these documents are struck with the contrast between their statements and Pinchot's recent activity and remarks on the stump out here for both Kent and Johnson.

Admirer of Maxine Elliott

An Englishman at the Palace at present, whose estate in Buckinghamshire is near that of Leopold Rothschild, points out what he says is an error in a cablegram story about Rothschild in the Sunday papers a couple of weeks ago. The story referred to Rothschild's admiration for Maxine Elliott, the beautiful, and intimated the possibility of a wedding between the enormously wealthy member of a famous banking family and the American actress. The Britisher says Leopold Rothschild is happily married and has a son who is an M. P. Regarding the English branch of the Rothschilds, he says Leopold has two brothers. Alfred, the youngest of the trio, is unmarried. Lord Rothschild, the other brother, is the head of the English branch.

His first name is Nathaniel, and my friend says he is familiarly known in London as "Natty." That Leopold Rothschild admires the stately, dark-eyed beauty, the same as J. Pierpont Morgan does and the late King Edward did, he says there is no doubt.

McCormick as Referee

E. O. McCormick, one of the three vice-presidents of the Southern Pacific here, whose familiar title of "Glad Hand" McCormick is simply a pleasant way of emphasizing his ability as a "mixer" among all classes of people, is a great friend of the new boys. Not one of them but gets a favor when he asks for it in the proper way. The other evening on Powell street in the neighborhood of the St. Francis Hotel McCormick when passing along saw two newbies in a desperate fight. They were at it in a hammer-and-tongs fashion, and the smaller of the two was getting the worse of the combat. The railroad official pulled them apart. He said to the larger of the two, after hearing the cause of the quarrel, "I think if I were the little fellow I would rub your nose in the ground good and hard." Quick as a flash the larger boy replied, "He don't think so mister. You ask him." McCormick talked to the lads for a few minutes and before he left had them shake hands and bury the hatchet. They had bet on them ten evening papers unsold. He bought them and sent them away in a happy frame of mind with him and with each other.

Delmas and His Partners Disagree

D. M. Delmas and his two law partners in New York have had a falling out. A dissolution of the firm has been the result. Charles A. Towne and Benjamin Spellman were Delmas' partners. They have now formed a partnership. The presence of Delmas in San Francisco has given rise to a report that he was to resume practice here. This is not true. He is shortly to return East and take offices on Nassau street above the Bank of Commerce. Just why the eloquent California lawyer has had a falling out with the brilliant Towne of Silver party fame and the astute Spellman is not quite clear. The rumor that Delmas was not bringing his proportion of paying clients to the firm, which caused dissatisfaction, is not believed by his San Francisco friends. All that Delmas will say on the subject is that he gave notice to his partners that he desired to withdraw. He did this, he says, for reasons best known to himself. According to his friends, Delmas has made a good living practicing in the metropolis and is confident of doing better alone than in any partnership. While he did not succeed in acquitting Harry Thaw, the famous trial, his friends say, gave his ability as a trial lawyer and his brilliancy a wide and lasting advertisement, the good effects of which he is still experiencing. Out of the Thaw case alone

he got a \$40,000 fee. Much of interest attaches to the career of this orator and lawyer, with its blending of romance and tragedy. He ill conceals his pleasure at being reminded of his likeness to Napoleon and still continues to tone and modulate his voice by accompanying practice at the piano. His famous quarrel in court with General W. H. L. Barnes after the latter's son had married Miss Delmas, their agreement on the excellence of the young husband being their only common ground, is yet remembered. So is well remembered his address of welcome to Barclay Henley, the only Democratic Congressman for California at the time, on his first return from Washington. It was a master effort of invective and sarcasm at the faction of the party read out of the Stockton convention in 1884. At Santa Clara college, where he was a student, stories are yet told of his remarkable attainments in Latin, Greek and all his other studies.

Fun On a Steamer

Pacific Mail officers say Secretary of War Dickinson, General Edwards and the members of their party, who left this city several weeks ago for the Philippines and the Orient en route on a tour of the world, had plenty of sport while crossing the Pacific on the liner Siberia. One day after the swimming contests in the big tank on deck had been judged by Dickinson and Edwards, a wager was made that those two distinguished personages did not dare to leap into the tank with their clothes and hats on. In a moment both men cleared the space splendidly and made a lean dive. There was a hearty cheer when both came up with their hats on. General Edwards' cigarette was still in his mouth, while Secretary Dickinson's eyeglasses still clung to the bridge of his nose. A more rapid dive, a quicker decision cannot be imagined, says one man who saw the laughable episode. The wager was made in fun by several ladies and the denouement was a great surprise to them. Wet through and making a sight long to be remembered, the two prominent American war officials clambered out of the tank and dashed for their cabins for a rapid change of clothing. Not since the time Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth did the same stunt some years ago has a Pacific Mail liner witnessed such a mirth-provoking and grotesque spectacle. The then Alice Roosevelt jumped into the tank in ordinary attire and dared her sweetheart to follow. He was in the water in a jiffy.

Lively Politics in Nevada

The primary election fight in our sister State of Nevada for Congressional and State offices is humming, according to prominent Nevadans at present in the city. The Dickerson and Sweeney factions in the Democratic party are at it hammer and tongs. United States Senator George S. Nixon is having no opposition in his party for an indorsement and re-election. There is no insurgency there against the Taft administration. For want of something better, the Democrats are taking a slap at Nixon because of his wealth. Two Democrats are after the Senatorship indorsement. One is Justice J. G. Sweeney of the State Supreme Court. The other is Kee Pitman, who is aligned with the faction of the party headed by Governor Denver L. Dickerson. The latter is seeking a nomination for Governor. He was elected lieutenant-governor the last time and became chief executive on Governor Sparks' death. A Sweeney man, Frank R. Nichols, is opposing him. Judge W. A. Massey and T. L. Oddie are the Republicans who are after the gubernatorial plum. Oddie's wife some time ago got a divorce. She is the daughter of Clara Belle McDowell, who figured in a sensational shooting scrape with her father-in-law in this city at the Baldwin Hotel twenty years ago. Congressman George A. Bartlett has no desire to return to Washington, saying the salary is insufficient. It is said he was the only Democrat in the last House of Representatives who supported the ship subsidy bill. E. E. Roberts is the Republican aspirant for the place. Two Democrats are seeking the honor. One is Bert McIntosh of Tonopah. W. H. Sprague, editor of the News at Goldfield, is the other man. United States Senator F. G. Newlands appears to be keeping his hand off of the fight. He is quietly spending his time between the Palace Hotel here and his beautiful home in Reno. Senator Nixon, by the way, also has a pretentious home in Reno. All of the various aspirants for political honors are making a thorough canvass of the State. Increased railroad facilities of late years are making campaigning in the Sagebrush State much easier than in the days when Senator "Bill" Stewart was in the habit of wearing out a dozen horses in a single campaign.

Woodpecker and the Railroads

For years the woodpecker has been a source of annoyance and expense to the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe roads. The telephone and electric power transmission companies are also having the same experience. The bird bores so many holes in the wooden poles supporting the wires as to cause them to break. The life of thousands of poles has been greatly shortened on this account. In Southern California the woodpecker has been very active in this respect and no plan to combat his destructiveness has been found. He works any old time without interference. A Stanford University professor who has made a study of the woodpecker tells the officials that the bird bores the holes to store nuts, especially acorns, in them. But he does not eat the acorn, for as a rule he is not a vegetarian. His object in storing away the acorn is exhibits foresight and a knowledge of results more like reason than instinct. After being stored in

the telegraph pole holes for some time, the acorns begin to decay and are attacked by maggots. It is then that the woodpecker feasts. The decaying acorns fairly teeming with animal life are to the bird a very palatable food. This is all very interesting to the officials of the big companies, but they wish Mr. Woodpecker would find other storage places than their poles.

A Romantic Story

Victor Reiter, brother-in-law of Jules Pages, the famous San Francisco artist living in Paris, and who as maitre d'hotel of the Palace and Fairmont hotels for many years has long been a popular man with society people and the traveling public, may, with relatives in Europe and Australia, share, in the near future, in a large fortune left in India and China many years ago by a brother of his grandmother. This relative went to the Orient as a soldier in the early part of the last century and won fame and fortune in the service of Indian maharajahs and also with several Chinese princes belonging to the Manchu dynasty. His relatives never knew of his death until long after it happened. It was longer still before the fact that he had left a large landed estate in both China and India became known to them. By means of records in Canton and Peking, as well as in the British Colonial office in London, the Australian branch of the family, working for all the relatives, is meeting with success in its efforts to establish their claims.

High legal authorities in Melbourne are said to feel confident the heirs will before long come into their rightful inheritance. When all the facts are ready to be made public, it is said they will constitute a very romantic story.

Deer at Knight's Ranch

Academy of Science people have some things of interest to say about George A. Knight's big ranch in the northern end of the State. They have been up to the getting deer of various ages for the academy. Gradually they expect to restore the fine collection of animal exhibits the institution had before the fire. They brought seven specimens of deer from the Knight principality in the wilderness. In one day, the deer was seen as many as fifty-four of these animals on the place. Knight has it fenced with barbed wire and allows no one to shoot without permission. A new log bungalow has been built on the ranch, one that would cost \$10,000 if erected in this city. His caretaker is a skilled carpenter and also does fine cabinet work. Under his superintendence, the bungalow, they say, is a thing of beauty as well as of utility. It cost about a third of what would have been the case in the city. The caretaker has never seen but two fiddles in his life. Yet he has made one which is a marvel in tone as well as in workmanship. As an orchestra of one piece it furnishes pleasant music for the Knight repeats on the ranch.

The Bellhop's Shock

An amusing incident occurred last week at the De Monte Hotel. One of the bellboys came running to the desk with one of those square leather, silver-mounted jewel cases, his eyes wide with visions of a large reward, as this was a particularly good sized case. It looked as though, for instance, it might contain the family jewels of Mrs. Charley Clark. The case was carefully placed in the inner vault by Manager Warner and everybody in the office expected to see some frenzied party come rushing to the desk with anxious inquiry. None of the guests seemed a bit excited, however. Finally all of the guests who were even suspected of owning jewelry were called up on the phone. None would own up to a loss. Late the same day a long distance telephone from the Palace Hotel was received. It stated that one of the guests, Mr. George Middleton of Kansas City, wanted to know if his wife's toilet set had been found. Then followed a description of the supposed jewel case which was being guarded in the vault. The Middletons had been guests of De Monte and had left that morning in their motor. In their hurry to get started the case was left in the lobby when the boy found it. The bellhop has not yet recovered from the shock of his disappointment.

Son of Starr King

I ran across F. R. King the other day. King is the only living child of the late Starr King, the famous Unitarian preacher and orator, who did so much for the Union cause in California in civil war times. The other child of the famous Californian was the wife of Horace Davis. She died a couple of years ago. King, the son, has one of the finest libraries in the West, and, having ample means, is continually buying books in all parts of the world. He inherited his father's library and that of Norris, his stepfather, who was a wealthy man. His library and his three sons are Mr. King's great pride. A giant, a man of fine physical proportions himself, his sons are still larger men. The father is six feet two. His son, Bothwell, is six feet six while Starr is six feet five. Will, the other son, is six feet three. One of the boys took honors at Annapolis. Another is married and intends to practice law as his chosen life's work. The father is a lawyer, but has never engaged in active practice of late years. He is a remarkably well-read man and a litterateur of some ability.

Harding Tells of Manila

Tall, thin, with a well-knit figure and extremely modest and affable is Theodore Harding, chief of police of Manila since 1902, who is in the city en route east on a six-months' vacation trip. Harding has under him a force of 800 patrolmen and forty detectives. All the latter are white men and half of the patrolmen. Those who know say he is the most popular man in the Philippines and a terror to evil-doers in the capital. The great sport of the Filipinos, cock fighting, is not permitted within the city limits. On Sundays and holidays it flourishes in a lot of resorts just outside of town from sunrise to midnight. After dark the fighting continues by electric light. The fights are savage, for the cocks are equipped with two and three-inch gaffs as sharp as razors. One thrust of a gaff frequently kills. As a result, hundreds of fighting game cocks are killed at these meetings. Not much money is wagered on the fights, according to Chief Harding. The same day that Jefferies was defeated at Carson by Johnson a veteran cock that had been

named Jefferies a year or two ago by its owner met its death in a fight with a game bird which had never been in a cockpit before. One blow of its sharp gaff killed it. It had forty scars on its body, showing the many fierce fights it had been in during its career.

Women Lose at Gambling

District Attorney J. F. Bullock of San Mateo county has made one of the most desperate fights of any man in the State to secure a primary nomination on next Wednesday. The proprietors of the Northern and Villa Mateo gambling resorts in Bullock's county just over the San Francisco line, men like John Marschbank, Frank Daroux, John P. Collins, Frank Moss, Peter St. Mary and David Argile, have openly worked for his success and are still doing so; likewise a lot of lesser gambling lights and bunco operators at Colma. These men, particularly those of the Northern and Villa Mateo clubs, have made a mint of money during the past four or five years of Bullock's administration because they have not been interfered with for any length of time. If a new man in the office should close those two clubs, it is safe to say their owners would lose an aggregate income of not less than \$100,000 a year. Jointly that is what they have made for their four or five owners annually for several years past. It is astonishing the number of men and women from this city who continue to frequent those two resorts for a fling at roulette, faro, poker and craps. Lots of Eastern people and those from the interior of both sexes go there to gamble. There are seemingly plenty of people around the hotels to tell them where to go if they want to see all the sights. The gamblers are paying good commissions for "fat victims." It is by this systematic plan they have built up a very large clientele. Only the other night a couple of women of means from Chicago lost between them about \$3000 at the Villa Mateo playing roulette. They were told where to go by an hotel attache and presumably he got a goodly sized commission. The women, who are still at the hotel, evidently could afford to lose the money they did, for no complaint has been made by them. There are allegations that the roulette wheels of these gamblers are operated with a "squeeze," that is, a secret pedal by means of which the man at the wheel can stop it whenever and wherever he wants to. I am not prepared to state that such is the fact. Such things are not unknown in so-called swell gambling clubs.

The Death of Care

"Care to our coffin adds a nail, no doubt, And every grin, so merry, draws one out." This and other clever things were woven into the announcement of the death of Care prepared for the participants in the Bohemian Club's Mid-summer Jinks a week ago yesterday by George F. Richardson, one of the club directors, who was the official undertaker for the occasion. The announcement in part will no doubt be of interest to those who are not numbered among the elect of these jinks merry-makers. It is in part as follows:

"Died—In Bohemia, August 5, B. C. 38, C. Anker Care Esq., beloved father of Mrs. I. C. Trumble and Mrs. R. E. Morse; stepfather of Miss Fortune and grandfather of O. U. Grouch Jr., a native of Hades, born Anno Mundi 0,000,001—which, being interpreted, means—way back.

"Friends and acquaintances (or rather acquaintances—he had no friends), including members of Knockers' Union No. 23, of which deceased was Past Grand Master, are more or less respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Saturday, August 6th, at 11 p. m., at his late residence (note his residence and funeral are both late), near the High Jinks stage. Please omit drinks. Sans Souci papers please copy.

"Deceased was one of our best-known members, and frequented the club at all seasons. It was his wont, or perhaps his will—to visit, quite regularly, the meetings of the board of directors, where his gaunt and stooping figure, leading by one hand a pet spider, while in the other he carried a large, well-developed and juicy deficit in the club's accounts, was a familiar sight that will be gladly missed, especially by the dining-room committee. His sudden taking off was the result of a cold, superinduced by his favorite seamstress, Mrs. Baldy Sleep (known also as tired nature's hair restorer), having failed to 'knit up the raveled sleeve of Care!' He had been ailing for some time, and when, recently, he obtained a glimpse of the ten-cent service charge on the club's menu, he was unable in his weak and nervous condition to withstand the shock. His last words were: 'Well, this is the limit!' His fate should remind us all that even in the midst of life we are in debt. However, let us remember, lest we forget, our sub-motto, used during the closed season for spiders—namely, 'A fig for Care!'—and a fig leaf for Mrs. Care."

Married Women Must Be Careful

Some club women in a rambling talk the other evening told of an eligible bachelor who admired a certain young woman and was in turn well thought of by her. She finally married another man, although still on good terms with the former beau. Some months after the wedding the bachelor met the young wife and without any ado gave her a kiss. The next instant his lip was bleeding from a well-directed blow from the gloved fist of the indignant woman. Astonished, he demanded to know why she had struck him, saying at the same time that he had often kissed her before. She did not deny the soft impeachment, but plainly told him that conditions were different. She was married now and had the dignity of a wife to support. The story was told during a talk about the conduct of married women, the club women contending that the misconduct of wives is, as a rule, no more than very mildly naughty. They reasoned thus: A married woman is still young and attractive. Men admire her and tell her so. Perhaps one declares a love of her. He is handsomer than her husband, perhaps, and more ardent. His devotion appeals to her sense of romance. She grants him no improper favors—that is, not very improper—nothing worse than a sort of sentimental understanding, with no overt act of disloyalty. If the fellow were to kiss her, very likely he'd get his ears boxed by way of return; and indeed he has to be more circumspect in politeness than to maidens of his acquaintance. Then followed the story mentioned, which is said to have been a recent occurrence.

THE KNAVE.

PARIS PREPARES TO WARD OFF DANGERS OF FLOOD

Plans for Averting Destruction Caused by Recent Deluge Are Under Way; Drain Improvements to Be Made

(By GEORGE DUFFESNE)
PARIS, Aug. 13.—America's tourist visiting Paris en route for Switzerland who have found Avenue de l'Opera in a state of the Concorde excellent train tracks before beginning Alpine mountain climbing in the Alps will be surprised to find that the city of Paris is in a state of emergency. The French Minister of the Interior, who has been in the city since the recent deluge, has been working hard to prevent a repetition of the disaster. He has been working hard to prevent a repetition of the disaster. He has been working hard to prevent a repetition of the disaster.

HISTORY QUESTION

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JOHANN SMITH AGAIN

The Consul European commissaire, a man of the name of Johann Smith, has been seen in the city of Paris. He has been seen in the city of Paris. He has been seen in the city of Paris.

RECOGNIZED BY MANY

Among the people who have been recognized by many is Johann Smith. He has been recognized by many. He has been recognized by many.

CORN CURE SHOES DESIGNED FOR MEN

New Spring Footwear Shows Novelty; Purse-Snaps on Some of Them.

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Juvenile Son of Omaha Doctor Arrested While Working Elaborate Frauds

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OUR REMOVAL SALE

LASTS ONE MORE WEEK

AND IT WILL BE A GREAT BARGAIN WEEK

Every week has been a good one, both for our customers and for us. Good for the customers because they have bought goods nearly at factory cost, and good for us because we have done a tremendous business, and have put thousands of dollars' worth of furniture in the homes—saving us an enormous expense in moving, but we are determined to make this the banner week of all. Many articles have had the prices specially reduced for this week's sale, and we know we can convince you of big savings if you buy this week. Cash or credit, we will care for you just the same. But come just as fast as you can.

- 50 Patterns of Dressers One-Third Off**
They are all styles and finishes, and most of them are of extra good quality. So you see it is a time when you can buy a good dresser for the price of an ordinary one.
\$20.00 Dressers, special
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\$35.00 Dressers, special
\$40.00 Dressers, special
- 30 Patterns of Brass Beds One-Third Off**
This includes all brass beds in our stock, qualities up to \$100 and as low as \$22.50. With our variety and this special price, anyone can be pleased with a selection. They come special from \$15.00 in all sizes and we will have some as good as \$66.67. But it is surely an opportune time to get a brass bed.
- 40 Patterns of Buffets One-Half Off**
We have just forty buffets, which we are willing to sell for just one-half the regular prices, rather than move them to our new store. We will have many new dining-room suites for the new stock and won't have the room for these buffets. They are Golden Oak, Early English and Turned Oak.
- 40 Patterns of Hall Trees One-Half Off**
A well-furnished hall adds wonderfully to the first impression when entering a home, and we have some elegant hall pieces in Turned Oak, Early English and Golden Oak hall seats, hall trees, hall glasses and racks. Hall pieces that will do credit to a mansion, and any and all will be sold this week for one-half. If you need one, get it now.



An Iron Bed for \$3.35

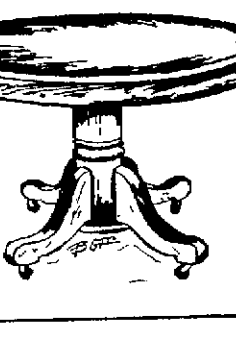
Any housewife knows this is not a cheap, trashy bed, but it is brass trimmed, neat in design, and worth from seven to eight dollars any size, green or white, \$3.35.

38 Patterns of Portieres One-Half Off

Styles and patterns from the cheapest to the best. Some beautiful plain effects with artistic tapestry borders, cold edges and gimp edges. Some of these are a little soiled, but not too badly to use in the best home, and think of the saving. They are only half-price.

Good Extension Tables, \$12.35

Solid seasoned oak, guaranteed not to warp, not made of cheap sap oak, but long-seasoned oak, finish golden, early English or turned oak. It's worth fifty per cent more, but while they last, \$12.35.

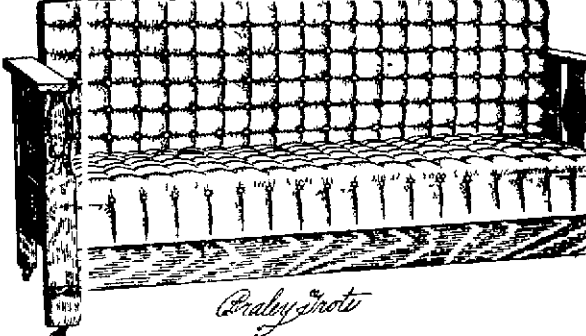


100 Patterns of Carpets Reduced in Price Bring Measure

We advise you to bring measures of your room's because the prices are so low that everybody wants them, and because we want to reserve just what is needed for your order and no more. All grades—Body Brussels, Wilton Velvets, Axminster, ten wire Brussels and Ingrains. Prices low.

All Bed Davenport Special from \$20 Up

Yes, this week you can get a handsome bed davenport for \$20.00, if you come quickly before they are all gone. All Bed Davenports at special reductions for the last week of the Removal Sale.



Some Red Hot Stove Bargains Fine Steel Ranges Cheap

Lots of people are beginning to think of the chilly, damp winter and have already bought their heater at the Removal Sale, and saved enough to buy part of their winter's coal. Better let us fix you up with a good one now. Or maybe a new steel range. You know you can heat a whole flat with one of our steel ranges with very little fuel, and you can make a big saving in the purchase price now.



A Rocker \$3.50 Like this

Quarterned oak, finished golden, opera seat, high back, worth \$7.00. Removal price while they last \$3.50.



If You Want to Buy Exchange Goods at Lowest Prices Ask for the Exchange Department

Bargains in this department that you can never hope to equal again. Anything and everything for the home, at prices that will save you many a dollar. Some excellent pieces, too.

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Postoffice to Close on Primaries Day

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Tuesday being a legal holiday, it will be observed as such by the postoffice. Clerks at the main office and stations will make one delivery of letters, and will make no other deliveries. Letters will be delivered at 11 a. m. and 1 p. m. The delivery of mail will be suspended from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. The postoffice will be closed on the day of the election of the clerk in charge.

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A Sample of Dr. Pardee's Accuracy.

George C. Pardee, writing over his nom de plume of "Wayfarer," makes this assertion: "Gallagher, it will be remembered, was dynamited in his house, his life was threatened, and, while Langdon was District Attorney, he was accompanied everywhere by a bodyguard to prevent him from being murdered. When Fickert became District Attorney, with Calhoun's help, Gallagher's protection by the San Francisco authorities ceased and he disappeared." It is a pity that Dr. Pardee is so careless of his facts. Gallagher disappeared from San Francisco on November 25, 1909. Fickert did not take office until January 8, 1910, six weeks after Gallagher absconded. Fickert never withdrew the detectives ostensibly employed to guard Gallagher. Langdon was District Attorney when Gallagher disappeared, and two of Burns' detective corps were ostensibly guarding Gallagher night and day at the time of his disappearance. The vigilance of this guardianship is demonstrated by the fact that these guardians did not learn of Gallagher's disappearance till he had been gone from the city three days. The levitating of Gallagher was reported in all the San Francisco papers on December 1, 1910, when Gallagher's disappearance was officially brought to the attention of Judge Lawlor. Moreover, Thomas Gallagher, brother of the fugitive, testified before Lawlor that "Big Jim" told him prior to his departure that William J. Burns had advised him to leave the city and State. These are facts of record on file in Judge Lawlor's court. Why should Dr. Pardee falsify them?

Re-Election of Supervisor Kelley.

Supervisor Joseph M. Kelley should be nominated and re-elected to represent the Third District. The indications are strong that he will be nominated by a handsome majority. The people in the Third District appreciate his valuable services to the district. He has proved to be the most progressive Supervisor the district has ever had, and, if anything, the most energetic and progressive member of the Board of Supervisors since he has held a seat in it. More important public works have been carried out by the board during the time that Mr. Kelley has been a member than at any previous time in its history and by voice and vote he has consistently supported every one of them. His rival for the Republican nomination has a record of opposition to every necessary public improvement, a knowledge of which fact should, in itself, be enough to defeat him. Between the two candidates there can be but one rational choice for the voters of the Third District to make—namely, the re-election of the man who has done things of substantial value to the district and who has represented it and the county's best interests with energy and intelligence and whose enlightened views and progressive spirit is a positive guarantee of better things to come.

Oakland's Financial Prosperity.

Oakland stands second in the list of the clearing house cities of the United States in Bradstreet's Bank Clearings Record for the week with a percentage of gain over the corresponding week of last year of 61.9 per cent, Oklahoma with a smaller amount of clearings, being in the lead with 63.4 per cent gain to its credit. Evidently the past week was not a good one for trade in any part of the country, twenty-four of the cities reported in the list showing decreases among the three principal financial and commercial centers. New York shows a decrease of 24.9 per cent over the corresponding week of 1909; Chicago 6.7 per cent and Boston 15.5 per cent. Salt Lake City stands alone among Pacific Coast cities as having suffered a serious business setback with a decrease of 23.7 per cent, which corresponds closely with New York's decrease. Seattle also suffered a loss of 12.7 per cent and Spokane 7.9 per cent. Other Pacific Coast cities included in Bradstreet's report represent the following gains in comparison with the same week's record last year: San Francisco, 23.1 per cent; Los Angeles, 2 per cent; Portland, Oregon, 27.1 per cent; Tacoma, 7.7 per cent; Sacramento, 13.6 per cent. In the volume of the week's clearings Oakland with a record of \$3,062,000 stands at the head of fifty cities reported in the list, among them many of high commercial standing in the country.

Supervisor Bridge's Triumph Certain.

The people of the Third Supervisorial District have a just appreciation of the valuable services which Supervisor William B. Bridge rendered during the four years he has been a member of the county board, and they have rallied en masse to his support in the contest for the Republican nomination at the polls next Tuesday. His triumph is assured. Through his long residence in the district and his six years' experience as a road foreman and school trustee before being elected Supervisor, he was well qualified to perform the duties of the latter office satisfactorily. During his term he has been ever mindful of the wants of the district and has energetically and intelligently worked for the advancement of its best interests. His record is clean and untarnished. No member of the board has been more earnest or conscientious in his efforts to make it such. A vast majority of the voters in the Second District know that fact, as is evidenced by the splendid endorsements they have given him, and the way they have looked on his support, and they will further emphasize it at the polls on Tuesday by nominating him for re-election—a compliment to which he is justly entitled. It will also be a fitting rebuke to the malignant mud-slingers unjustly opposing him.

Following the example of Hiram Johnson, John D. Works has renounced allegiance to the Republican party and insulted the Republican State Committee for courteously asking him whether he intended to support the Republican ticket at the coming general election. He says he will vote the Republican ticket—if it suits him—and then goes on to attack the honor and integrity of the committee.

In his speech at Santa Rosa Hiram Johnson took occasion to declare himself independent of the Pope and to express his contempt for the Roman Pontiff. Just what the Pope has to do with the campaign now raging in California is hard to understand, but as he defied the President and the Republican party Johnson probably concluded that he might as well include the Pope among the enemies of the people he proposes to put down.

What has become of Gifford Pinchot? He has disappeared from public view completely. After Roosevelt disowned him and his mission he ceased to speak and when it developed that the candidate he came here to help had a tract of government land fencible for a private pasture, he disappeared entirely. Has he taken to the tall timber?

Aldrich Gives Bristow the Lie.

Senator Aldrich's answer to the charges made by Senator Bristow is complete, succinct, convincing. It is a statement that proves the Kansas Senator to be reckless and inaccurate in making accusations, a person whose statements are to be viewed with distrust and received with a reservation.

Admitting that he is a director in the Intercontinental Rubber Company, Senator Aldrich shows that the corporation was organized in 1906, not since the passage of the new tariff law as Bristow asserted, and is not engaged in the manufacture of rubber goods in this country or anywhere else. It produces crude rubber in foreign countries and sells it in the world's open market. Hence the tariff laws of the United States have no influence upon the price of the rubber manufacture by the Intercontinental Rubber Company. That corporation does not control the supply or price of rubber since it produces only about six per cent of the total production. This shows Bristow's statement that the Intercontinental Company had advanced the price of rubber soon after the passage of the Payne-Aldrich law to be both false and foolish. Moreover, Senator Aldrich quotes a letter from General Sharretts of the New York customs board to prove that the increase of the duty on certain articles of rubber manufacture from 30 to 35 per cent was at the instance of the Treasury Department and was done to equalize the duties on rubber goods and to simplify collection. This trifling increase has not affected the price of rubber goods, since the recent heavy advance is due to the increased price crude rubber is bringing in London and Amsterdam, where the market is not affected by the American tariff. Senator Bristow has provoked a reply that is overwhelming in its completeness and crushing as a rebuke.

California's Apple-Growing Counties.

Sonoma county has been long famous as the home of the largest apple orchard in the State; but it has not made any special effort to exploit its adaptability to apple culture until this year. It is now holding an apple show at the town of Sebastopol, for which extensive preparations have been in progress for some time past which is sure to spread the county's fame as a producer of this popular fruit.

In promoting apple culture Sonoma county is entering into competition with San Diego and Santa Cruz counties which have hitherto been the leading apple producers in California. The apple orchards of the Pajaro valley have been returning an annual income of over \$2,000,000 to their owners for many years past. The crop is nearly all shipped to markets east of the Rocky Mountains, where it commands good prices and nets a handsome profit to the growers.

For over a quarter of a century the apple orchards of the Julian district in San Diego county have carried off the gold medals at every exposition on the Pacific Coast in which their products have been on exhibition. The high quality of the fruit raised there is all the more remarkable because the district in which the apple orchards are located has a semi-tropical climate, whereas the natural habitat of the apple tree is supposed to be confined to the moist and cooler temperate zone.

All three of the California apple counties are now carrying on a successful competition in all eastern markets with the apple-growing districts in Oregon, which State was formerly regarded as the premier apple region on the western side of the continent.

The Sebastopol apple show promises to do as much for the promotion of Sonoma county's horticultural interests as the circus fairs which have been held annually at Cloverdale for nearly twenty years past.

George W. Frick's Nomination Assured.

County Superintendent of Schools George W. Frick has made such a good record during his term of office that he has no competition for the Republican nomination as the party candidate for re-election. His admirable administration of the school superintendency has won for him the absolute confidence of every Board of School Trustees and the support of every public school principal and teacher in the county, and among the endorsement to the petition he filed are the names of many of the leading business men and most prominent citizens in Oakland and other cities in Alameda county who recognize the faithfulness and conscientiousness with which he has performed the duties of the office. His popularity with all classes associated with the county schools, regardless of party affiliations, is not only an assurance of his non-inaction next Tuesday, but of his re-election in November also with the largest majority ever before given to any candidate for the office of County School Superintendent.

"You need not assure me, my dear fellow, that you did nothing improper in that fencing matter," wrote Theodore Roosevelt to Colonel William Kent. But President Taft's letter shows that on December 14, 1909, the Interior Department requested the Department of Justice to take legal action to compel Colonel Kent's cattle company to remove its fences from the government domain, and that fourteen years prior to that time the Kent corporation had kept the public land enclosed as a private pasture. It may not be necessary to tell Colonel Roosevelt anything about it, but the facts speak for themselves.

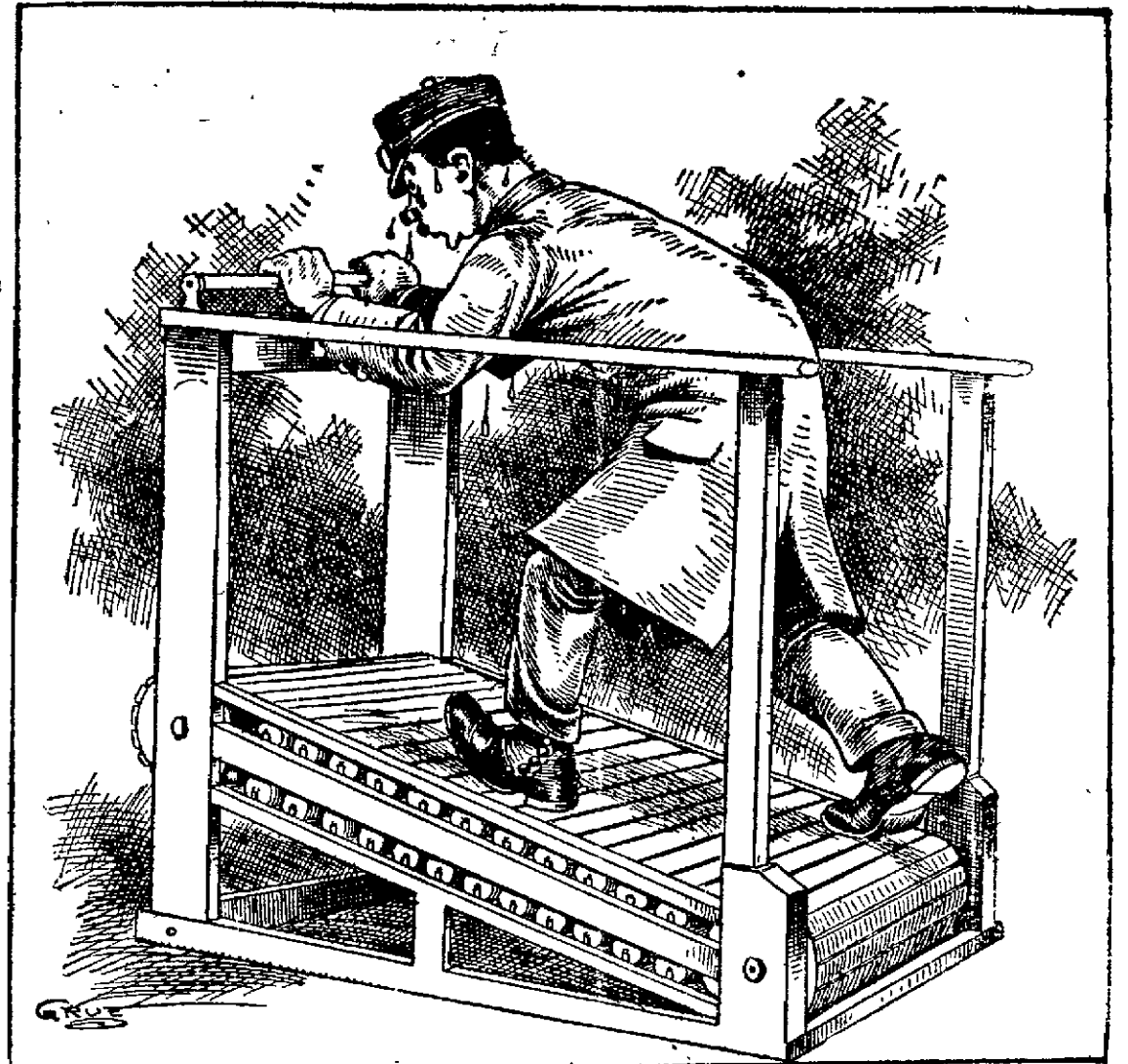
Topics Timely and Interesting

Governor Crothers of Maryland and the Automobile Commissioner of that State have under consideration a plan for reciprocity in automobile license that seems to strike the Baltimore Sun as being about right. It is proposed to enter into an agreement with other states by which licensed automobile owners in Maryland can run their cars in those states without obtaining additional licenses. In return, licensed automobile owners in other states will have the same privilege in Maryland. "This reciprocal arrangement is practicable, and, from the point of view of automobilists, it is also desirable," says the Sun.

Will the leaning tower of Pisa follow the Campanile di Venezia? That is the question which is now engaging the attention of an architectural commission, says the Journal of Rome. The tower is sinking, and there can be no doubt of the fact, and the commission was appointed in order to avert a catastrophe. The first step taken by the architects was to remove the chimneys from the belfry, which weighed several tons. They have also made the statement that contrary to popular belief the tower, now

nearly a thousand years old, was not built to lean, but acquired its present position through the giving way of the earth under part of its foundation.

A plea for the preservation of the French language by the French people has been made by the Laris Figaro, in which the writer points to the fact that English words used in connection with sports have invaded the realm of the native tongue and that the "end is not yet." Commenting on the article, a German writer says: "We Germans have the same complaint to make as to the English language. Among the words which I notice in German papers in the last month are these: Sly, finish, record, race, pool, track, swing, path, football, lawn tennis, bunke, course, garden party, fool, detective (printed detective and detektif), check, smoking, dress, snob, loop-the-loo, week-end, meeting, trainer, box, prizefight, champion, cakewalk, flirt, cashier, shocking, dam, pair, unfair, trick, strike, blotter, film, drill, chance, match, jury, partner, farmer, baby, seismometer, interview, globe trotter, soyocott, king, sketch and bellboy."

Make the Punishment Fit the Crime

THE CRIMINAL AUTO SPEEDER IS IN SUCH A HURRY TO GET SOMEWHERE, WHY NOT MAKE HIM RUN A MACHINE THAT NEVER GETS ANYWHERE? —The Evansville Press

Revolutionizing Methods of Building

When E. H. Harriman obtained control of the Union Pacific Railroad his first move made him the laughing stock of nearly the entire railroad world. They recognized Harriman's genius and began to do exactly what he was doing. Today his far-sighted policy of better railroad construction is being universally adopted. Harriman's first move was to spend millions of dollars improving the roadbed. Steep grades were eliminated and sharp curves straightened. Permanent and substantial bridges and culverts were built in place of the old wooden ones. Heavy rails were substituted for lighter ones and were ballasted with rocks.

The methods of roadbed construction employed today differ so radically from those employed in the early days of railroading as the huge locomotive with which we are familiar differs from the antiquated type of engine behind which our grandfathers rode. The freight trains of today, weighing from fifteen hundred to three thousand tons, have been made possible by a more substantial track. New York to St. Louis in twenty-four hours would be a myth were it not for a roadbed capable of withstanding this rate of speed.

Harriman himself has told us that under present methods we have reached very nearly the maximum of efficiency and that before we can build heavier and faster locomotives or larger cars a radical change in roadbed construction is necessary.

The first railroad track was nothing more than parallel wooden rails laid along the highway. The first step in advance was the adoption of iron rails spiked to wooden cross-ties. These in turn were supplanted by steel rails in 1867, when the adoption of the Bessemer process decreased their cost and facilitated their manufacture.

The steel rails used at that time weighed fifty pounds per yard, but as

the weight of locomotives and cars has increased heavier rails have been found necessary, and today the average weight is ninety pounds per yard, the weight varying according to the volume of traffic and the physical conditions of the country through which the road runs. Through level country a rail weighing eighty or ninety pounds per yard has been found sufficiently heavy, while roads with steep grades and sharp curves running through mountain regions require a hundred-pound rail.

The rail is subjected to the greatest strain at the point where the rails are joined, and many devices have been more or less successfully invented to eliminate this weakness. At first the joints were placed opposite one another, so that the joint when the engine and cars hit the joints on the two rails would occur simultaneously, but this was found unsatisfactory in wear and tear on both equipment and passengers, and today the track is built with the joint on one rail opposite the center of the other rail. This method gives a rolling motion to engine and cars which is much less noticeable and damaging than when the engine strikes both joints at the same time.

Experience has also proved that the joint is lessened and the wear on both track and equipment decreased when the joint is placed between the ties rather than coming directly upon a single tie. In the latter case the constant hammering upon the tie soon depresses it, causing what is known as a "low joint," a condition which is partially eliminated by the former method.

Rails are fastened together by iron bars, called "fish-plates" fitted to the rails and spiked to the ties. This splice must be rigid enough to withstand the hammer-like blows delivered first by the driving wheels of the heavy locomotives, followed in rapid succession by the blows from the various cars as they

pass over it. On the other hand, the joint must have enough elasticity to return to its original position after the train has passed.

The ordinary length of rails is 30 feet, though some roads use rails 32 feet, 45 feet and even 60 feet in length. The advantages of the longer rail are that the number of joints is reduced, thereby lessening the cost of maintenance and making a smoother riding track, and that there are fewer accidents and breakages at the joints. On the other hand, the cost of manufacture is greater, as there are a greater number of second-quality rails. Renewal of single rails is more troublesome and expensive and transportation and handling more costly.

Experiments have been made in welding the rails together. Often they are laid with a view to eliminating joints, but this method has not proved successful, as it does not take into account the expansion and contraction of the metal due to variations in temperature.

The weakest point in the track is the method of fastening the rail to the tie. In spite of the increase in the weight of rail, volume of traffic and weight of engines and cars, the form of spike designed in 1830 is commonly used today. In spite of its imperfections it has proved more satisfactory than any of the various devices planned to supplant it. While it is easily loosened by the pounding of the wheels on the rail and does not withstand the lateral thrust of the wheels against the rail, it is less injurious to the floor of the tie than any other device and is easily removed and replaced in making tie and rail renewals.

Owing to the scarcity of the wood supply the question of ties is rapidly becoming a serious problem to railroad managers, and the annual consumption is about seven-and-a-half million ties for renewals and fourteen million ties for new construction, representing nearly one hundred million feet.

Twenty Years Ago in Oakland

There is no denying the fact that the Alameda county delegation is the laughing stock of the Republican convention at Sacramento. Everybody sneers or smiles when it is spoken of. Even the delegates themselves feel it and many of them acknowledge the coin.

L. C. Morehouse of San Leandro has been nominated by acclamation as a member of the State board of equalization from the second district. Henry Markam, the candidate for governor on the Republican ticket, who has just been nominated, is a native of New York. He is 50 years of age. He entered the Civil war in 1862. He was wounded by a shell while serving with Sherman in the South and was discharged in 1865. J. B. Reddick the nominee for lieutenant governor, is an attorney from San Andreas in Calaveras county.

Piedmont parlors is to meet tonight for the purpose of taking some steps for the celebration of Admission Day. Colonel Robinson's three new baseball players, Shaw, Cantillon and Sweeney, arrived today from the East and were met at the Sixteenth street depot. They will play in the game to-morrow.

Mails close in San Francisco for Oakland as follows: 5:55 and 9:25 in the forenoon and 12:25, 2:40, 3:40, 6:25 and 7:40 in the afternoon. The first three mails are delivered by carriers to all parts of Oakland promptly after arrival

and the mail closing at 2:40 is delivered by carriers in all parts of the city except the extreme northern portion and except north of East Sixteenth street and east of Fourteenth avenue in East Oakland. Letters posted in San Francisco after 2:40 p. m. and intended to be delivered the same day in Oakland should have a special delivery stamp attached.

Fred Klingfish, who worked for three years in a restaurant on Broadway near Seventh street, was run over by the broad gauge train on Seventh street near Broadway today and so severely injured that he cannot recover.

Seven little Chinese girls have been placed in the county jail for safekeeping until the sailing of the next steamer for China, when they will be deported. They have been rescued from brothels.

The citizens of Pernita have formed an improvement club, the purpose of which is to make an effort to have the place incorporated.

The ladies of the First Baptist church will give a melon social to-morrow night.

The delegates from the local branch of the Catholic Ladies' Aid Society from this city to the State convention which is now in session in Santa Cruz, are Mrs. J. L. Price and Mrs. M. E. Sullivan. The Methodist camp meeting opens in Benlah Park this evening. It will be held under the auspices of the Oakland district of the Methodist church, but will be attended by people from all over the

State but in a special manner from central California.

The suit brought on the relation of Edson I. Adams against the city of Oakland is the vitally most important matter now before the public. The only points at issue now are two legal problems to-wit: Was the act under which the proceedings to annex Union Heights and Adams Point to the city constitutional? Did such act apply to the city of Oakland?

Victor Gillardin and family and Mrs. Henry and family have gone into camp at Sausalito.

"Big Joe," the fireman, will carry the banner of Brooklyn in the procession on Admission Day.

Mails are now closed at Oakland for San Francisco as follows: 5:30, 7:10, 10 and 11:55 o'clock in the forenoon, and 1:55, 4:30 and 8:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The mails closing in the afternoon at 1:55 is the last delivery by carriers on the same day in San Francisco, the last delivery not being over the entire city, but within that portion bounded by Pierce, Thirteenth and Channel streets.

Letters posted after 1:55 (or so as to reach the office after 1:55) delivery of which is desired on the same day in San Francisco, should have a special delivery stamp attached.

A girl believes she can make a man love her by telling him he does.

SUNDAY MORNING

SAYS HUSBAND IS INSANE; WIFE ASKS GUARDIANSHIP

Former Chorus Girl Asserts Spouse Is Peculiar

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Declaring that her husband, J. B. Hughes, is insane for the reason that during the last few months he has acted oddly, among other things having read the newspapers upside down, Mrs. Belle Harper Hughes, a former New York chorus girl, has applied to the courts of New York for the appointment of a lunacy commission.

Hughes will be examined in the near future and if declared mentally incompetent his wife asks that she be appointed guardian of his personal property. This amounts to \$300,000, according to her statements.



MRS. BELLE H. HUGHES, who declares husband insane because he read newspapers wrong side up.

FOREMOST SLEUTHS URGE PROTECTION FOR OFFICIALS

Wilkie, Flynn and Drummond Tell How Shooting of Mayor Gaynor Could Have Been Prevented by Caution

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The assault on Mayor Gaynor has renewed with added force the interest in the question of how public men may be protected from the murderous attacks of criminals like Galt, Czolgosz, Prendergast and Gallagher. No three men in the country are better qualified to discuss this vital question than Chief Wilkie of the United States Secret Service; William J. Flynn, in charge of the Eastern division of the Secret Service, who looks after the President when in the nation; and former Chief of Secret Service A. L. Drummond. Here is what they say:

By CHIEF WILKIE, U. S. SECRET SERVICE.

"Past experiences have shown that to safeguard the lives of our public officials, national or state, we have to be eternally on the watch for the unexpected. As long as there are public officials it will be necessary to guard them."

By CHIEF WILKIE, U. S. SECRET SERVICE.

"If Mayor Gaynor had been properly guarded last Tuesday morning he would not have been shot. If a public official is properly guarded, no one can come up behind him and shoot him in the back. It is a difficult matter to protect a man from being shot at from a distance, but a guard who understands his work can easily prevent an evil-doer from getting close enough to his intended victim to shoot him in the way Gallagher shot the mayor."

"If Mayor Gaynor had had any guard with him, the shooting would have been impossible, unless they had been inexcusably negligent. There is no denying the fact that if a desperate man wants to kill a public official by means of firearms, it is almost impossible to prevent it if the assassin is a good shot. But if a public official is well guarded, it is impossible even that danger to a considerable degree."

"Most public officials have such confidence in their men that they take no steps to protect themselves by being surrounded by guards. I understand Mayor Gaynor dislikes to have a guard near him, and many public men share his feelings. Of course, the Secret Service department has nothing to do with guarding the mayor of New York—the only person we are authorized to protect is the President of the United States, but it seems to me that the mayor should be guarded whether he wants it or not."

By CHIEF WILKIE, U. S. SECRET SERVICE.

"Any man, his back should never be left unprotected. If President Taft had been sailing instead of Mayor Gaynor, there would have been a man behind him and down his back, and he would not have permitted Gallagher, a stranger, to come near him. When a stranger gets anywhere near a President or one of his guards runs his hands up and down his clothes and if he feels a lump that might be a revolver he is taken care of there and there. A man with a revolver or any weapon has no business near the President."

"When Theodore Roosevelt was President he was always carefully guarded, but he had been mind saying he would have been more than a match for any assassin if he had been given half a chance, but, of course, he never in such a position to be an assassin could come near the President Taft is of a different temperament. He has such faith in his fellow countrymen that he would fall entirely upon his guards to protect him."

"How can public officials be protected from assassination? Well, no, say, they can be guarded so that no one can attack them from close quarters. Of course, a crack shot with a rifle, if he is determined to kill a certain man, is beyond the pale of human agencies to prevent him. But the greatest danger is from the crack and insane man, and they invariably try to get too close to carry out their work."

By CHIEF WILKIE, U. S. SECRET SERVICE.

"I think if the several states passed laws making it a capital offense to make any kind of an assault on a governor, mayor or high official it would not make such crimes much less numerous."

Then, too, every sale of firearms should be registered. Every store that

sees a rifle or revolver should be compelled to file a report to some official stating to whom the firearm was sold and for what purpose it was to be used.

"This would have a beneficial effect in the way that if a public official would receive a threatening letter he could ascertain if the writer had purchased a revolver or if he owned one. All firearms should be numbered. Another thing I would suggest is strict enforcement of the law which prohibits the carrying of concealed weapons. More care should be exercised in the issuance of permits to carry firearms. It is impossible to prevent insane men from attempting to carry these suggestions, if followed out, will lessen the danger. If Mayor Gaynor had only taken the precaution and had two guards near him last Tuesday, he would now be enjoying his vacation."

By A. L. DRUMMOND, former Chief of the U. S. Secret Service.

"From the experience I gained while connected with the Secret Service, I came to believe years ago in the advisability of having protection for every executive officer, whether he be of the United States or of the individual states. There are in every community men of the type represented by the cowardly assassin of our mayor, who, through their association with other loose-thinking and looser-talking individuals, finally come to believe in the justice of adjusting real or imaginary wrongs."

"Deeds such as this require no great courage. They are the act of a desperate, illogically foolhardy man."

"And to protect our public officials by no means a simple task. Detectives are more or less helpless against them because the assassin is the creature of a moment. He comes to life, lives and dies all within a few hours."

"To guard against these men there should be at the elbow of every official a big, strong, fearless man, ready to take a chance with anyone and on the alert. The man who is willing to take guard should be one who is willing to take the risk of making a mistake and who is not afraid to be in the wrong nine times out of ten. Such a man can more to protect the lives of our officials than can a whole detective force."

By CHIEF WILKIE, U. S. SECRET SERVICE.

"Such personal protectors, and every speedy way to justice, with the penalties, will do more than anything else will to protect the lives of our officials."

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Grill for Excellent Service at
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GOOD GOODS
OAKLAND STORE

Women's Novelty Muslin Gowns

\$1.19



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About 1/3 Off
At \$3.95
A Saving of \$2

Holding reed go-cart with reclining back, adjustable foot rest, good spring wheel, enameled green, and strong rubber tire. This is a regular \$5.95 go-cart.

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Three-quarter size reed go-cart with reclining back and large adjustable dash, sides are closely woven, neatly upholstered cushion, with large hooded top, strong spring wheel, enameled green, rubber tire wheels and foot brake. A regular \$13.95 cart.

Various Other Savings
We have reduced practically our entire line of reed go-carts so that the variety is sure to yield just the kind of cart you could desire. These reductions in force beginning Monday morning. Cuts reduced from \$10 to \$5.95; \$18.50 to \$12.50; \$24.95 to \$17.95; \$29 to \$21.95, and \$35 to \$24.95.

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Two Styles
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Women's Waist
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Made of good
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**DEAD COMRADES
TO BE HONORED**

Lyon Post, G. A. R., Plans Annual
Memorial Service for
Tuesday Night.

The annual memorial service of Lyon Post, No. 8, G. A. R., will take place Tuesday evening, August 13, at Lincoln Hall, on Thirteenth street. The memorial list includes twelve comrades who have passed away since August 13, 1917. The names, service and dates of death are as follows:

Charles E. Smith, a member of Company B, Merrill's Horse, Michigan Cavalry, died August 13, 1900; Henry Bennett, landsman on United States steamer Silver Cloud, November 23, 1902; Abram C. Spear, ordnance sergeant, Company A, Fourteenth Michigan Infantry, January 8, 1910; Nahum E. Williams, musician, Companies F and H, First New York Heavy Artillery, February 11, 1910; John Henry Inwall, Company I, Twentieth Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, February 25, 1910; Major W. O. Howe, artillery and brevet major, Twentieth Maine Cavalry, February, 1910; Peter A. McMurry, Company A, 155th Illinois Infantry, March 4, 1910; Anson Ward, Company A, Seventy-fourth Illinois Infantry, March 15, 1910; Alonzo Papworth, Company F, Second Massachusetts Cavalry, (California 500), March 21, 1910; Gustave A. McQuinn, Company B, Twenty-fourth Pennsylvania Infantry, April 23, 1910; William M. Greenslade, sergeant, Company A, Eighty-first Indiana Infantry, May 11, 1910; C. P. H. Buck, first lieutenant, Company K, Fourth New York Cavalry.

The program will include an address by Judge Buckles of Fairfield, past department commander, on General Keith, and one by District Attorney, W. H. Donahue on "The Services of the Volunteer, 1861-65."

Appropriate musical selections will be rendered by a trio composed of comrades E. W. Flier, Nathaniel Hood and J. A. Colquhoun of the post. Other features will be brief eulogies of the deceased comrades by members of the post. Post Commander Colquhoun will preside.

The meeting will be an open one and the public is invited. Lyon Relief Corps, No. 6, W. R. C., auxiliary to Lyon Post, will assist in the decorations.

**SEEK TO ENJOIN
80,000 STRIKERS**

**Manufacturers Declare That
Cloakmakers Maintain an
Illegal Combination.**

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The striking cloak makers of New York City number about 80,000 men and women, according to a brief submitted to the Supreme Court here by their employers, who seek to have the union restrained by a permanent injunction. The manufacturers ask the courts to declare the strike unlawful on the ground that the workers are maintaining an illegal combination in striking against the open shop. The plaintiffs, according to the representations made to the court, who produce eighty per cent of the cloaks, suits and skirts manufactured in the United States, and the investments of the employers represent between \$50,000,000 and \$60,000,000.

IMPORTANT ISSUES.
"Because of the immense capital and the number of persons involved," the lawyers declare, "the issues in this contest are the most important ever involved in a strike. The manufacturers are in a state of terror, and if the in-

Great Values Monday at Hale's Oakland Store—Splendid "Hale" Merchandise Low Priced, Affording Decided Savings—Read Here About Monday's Strong Offerings.

First Autumn Sale of Flannels

New Goods in a Great Sale, Noted for Value, Quality and a Boundless Variety

Flannels 7c Yard	Flannels 15c Yard	Flannels 10c to 16 1/2c Yard	Flannels 25c Yard
26-inch tennis flannel of heavy quality, shown in a diversity of attractive striped patterns.	Plain white tennis flannel, 36 inches wide and of extra heavy quality, at a decided price inducement.	An extensive showing of kimono flannels in a profusion of late patterns and colors. Priced low, per yard, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c and 16 1/2c.	32-inch Scotch flannel, shown in assorted striped patterns, in medium tones. Decidedly good values.

35c Yard—Striped Waisting Flannels—35c Yard

Superlative Wash Fabrics at these Prices

2000 yards of dependable tub fabrics of a quality and at a price that make them "values" in every sense.

The assortment entails gingham in plaids or checks; percales in light colors; Madras in white grounds, with stripes or figures; flannel, including all heavy weight, in light or medium plain shades.

Mercedized Poplin—A highly mercedized quality of splendid wearing tendency and very washable. In white or colored grounds, with fair line stripes or cross-bars.

Mercedized Pique—In black or white, showing a variance of figures or dotted effects. The designs are very attractive.

10c yd 2000 yards of Wash Serge, impervious to moisture and dampness. Short pieces, from 2 to 5 yards long, in medium tones and many patterns.

32-inch Zephyr Gingham, in stripes 14c yd or checks.

25c yd Dotted Mulls, 27 inches wide; plain grounds of brown, red, white or pink, with mercedized woven dots.

69c Of good French style, of good quality white, figure, long sleeves, invisible black elastic closing, waist; has full gathered skirt. An exceptionally pretty dress for the low price.

59c Of white percale, with blue, pink or red polka dots, round neck, trimmings of solid color on neck, belt and short sleeves; has full gathered skirt. Some of dark material, in popular Russian style.

69c Of good French style, in medium check blue, or pink and white, fast colors. French style, puff sleeves and square neck, with solid blue or white piping with white, waist; has full gathered skirt.

79c Of good French style, in pretty blue, tan or old rose, square neck, short puff sleeves, extending length of dress; wide reverse over the shoulders; full plaited skirt; some very fine Russian style, in many different colors.

89c French style, of best zephyr gingham; Dutch neck, puff sleeves; invisible closing; entire length of dress; wide reverse over the shoulders; full plaited skirt; some very fine Russian style, in many different colors.

Sample Line of Girls' Fall Coats
\$3.95 to \$10.75—Only 25 in the Lot

A sample lot of just 25 children's coats for fall and winter wear, offered for the first time in the city. Every one different. Made of broadcloth, melton, cloth, imitation bearskin, etc.

"Hale" Brand Underwear, 50c
"Hale" brand underwear for women is famed for durability, appearance and low price. Made especially for Hale's California Stores.

Women's Vests—High neck, long or short sleeves, of medium weight, fleeced cotton, hand-crocheted finish. Pants to match, ankle or knee length. All sizes and weights, including extra sizes for stout women; 50c a garment.

New Fall Silks
Plaids, \$1 a Yard—An alluring offering in plaid silks. These are 27 inches wide, with such beautiful combinations as blue and green, old rose and blue, red and green predominating, etc. Splendid values at \$1 a yard.

New Persians, \$1 a Yard—A handsome array of beautiful new Persian silks, in rich colors, light and dark effects. Underpriced at \$1 a yard. See them at our counters, Main Floor.

Silk Poplin, \$1.50 a Yard—An assortment of silk poplin, 44 inches wide, in beautiful shades of pink, Copehagen, delft, mode, brown, navy, black or white; \$1.50 a yard.

FEAR SPREAD OF CHOLERA TO U. S.
Washington Orders Close Watch On Aliens Crossing the Ocean.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Rigorous measures have been taken by United States representatives to prevent the introduction into this country of cholera. At the instance of the public health service at Washington the United States consular offices at Hamburg, Bremen, Antwerp and Rotterdam and other continental and British ports are working after cables instructions which require them to detain steerage passengers from cholera-infected districts in Russia and to disinfest belongings prior to embarkation for the United States. These instructions were given on account of the recent reports of many cases in Russia and the prospect of spread of cholera in Europe.

Hardware Firm Sued for Railroad Refund
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—Baker & Hamilton, the large hardware dealers, were sued today for half the sum recovered by them in recent litigation with railroad companies by three men who claim to have been instrumental in recovering the amount for the hardware house. They are F. O. Burkhardt, E. S. Hoyt and Charles Clifford.

The complaint states that the three plaintiffs in the action pointed out to Baker & Hamilton that they could recover money from various railroads on account of "erroneous" and "illegal" rates which had been charged and that the hardware firm then entered into an agreement with them in which the plaintiffs were to get half of whatever sum was recovered.

They state on their information and belief that the firm recovered more than \$500. They ask for an accounting and an order of court granting them the stipulated half.

Home Journal Patterns
Made to Fit Perfectly, With a Saving of Material. 10c and 15c. —Main door left.

Hale's
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A Sewing Machine

For Any Woman
\$2 Down



\$1 a Week
A Plan Whereby You Can Own a 10-Year Guaranteed Machine Tomorrow.

This Hale's "Crescent" machine is one of the favorite models. It is of strictly high grade structure and perfect mechanism. Twice awarded first premium at the California State Fair. The price—\$25—is remarkably low for the value.

A broad, generous guarantee protects you in your purchase. Every machine is warranted in writing to be free from defects, and to give satisfactory family service for ten years.

Pheasant Feathers
\$2.00 Values for
85c

A limited assortment of very beautiful real pheasant tails and heads for Fall hats. Quite the correct trimming for the high urban that will reach extreme popularity this Fall. These feathers come in beautiful shades of marine or Brillot blue; electric, natural green, emerald and electric blue. This limited lot marked to sell quickly, a \$2 value for 85c.

House or Street Dresses
\$1.95
Formerly \$2.95 and \$2.50

The popular sale continues. All house or street dresses formerly sold at \$2.95 and \$2.50 now reduced to \$1.95 each. Very pretty models. One duck or linenette; a variety of styles in linenette, tan, white, blue, old rose, etc. etc. etc. have parasols to match. The most select and latest in this line. There is yet a splendid variety awaiting you.

Second Floor

BURBANK RHUBARB WANTED IN AFRICA

CRIMSON VARIETY GROWS WHERE ALL OTHER KINDS HAVE BEEN A FAILURE.

SANTA ROSA, Aug. 12.—Far off Africa has asked Luther Burbank for a big supply of the seed of the Burbank crimson winter rhubarb. The request is from the British government through its chief forerunner in Africa. A year ago some of Burbank's crimson rhubarb was sent to Africa in an endeavor to see if it would flourish there, where all other rhubarbs refused to grow. This result was a greater triumph, which is to be distributed by the British government.

Accompanying the request for the seed came a letter from the African chief forerunner commending Burbank on his great work in the creation of fruit flowers and vegetables Burbank has flourished in Japan, China, Chile and other far away places.

Burbank's great display at the Sebastopol apple fair last week attracted much attention.

PIEDMONT TURKISH BATHS.
Salt water swim. Twenty-fourth and Oakland avenue.

CHICAGO REPUBLICAN ORGANIZATION WILL NOT LET HIM RUN FOR CONGRESS AGAIN.

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—Henry S. Boutell, representative from the Ninth Chicago district, and a spokesman of the Aldrich-Cannon high tariff, has been effectively side-tracked. The North Side Republican organization has solidly united on Frederick H. Gansberger as the organization candidate for Congress from Boutell's district, despite the reputed plea of Boutell that he be permitted to go to Washington "for just one more term."

At a meeting of the leaders, Boutell was told in plain language that, with his record as an ally and aid of Aldrich and the New England manufacturers, he could not possibly be re-elected; that the arguments and declared he would run anyhow as an independent in the primaries next month.

Mr. Gansberger will make his campaign upon an anti-Cannon platform, which will have a principal plank for a call for lower tariff schedules.

FAILS TO STRIKE OIL; COMPANY TO DISBAND

SANTA MARIA, Aug. 12.—The Buena Vista Oil Company, operating in the Santa Maria field, has petitioned the superior court to wind up the company's affairs and disincorporate. The company's efforts to find oil in the neighborhood of Arroyo Grande resulted in failure. One well was drilled. There are 477,975 shares outstanding.

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Just Arrived

The Greatest Boys' Clothing values ever offered to the mothers of Alameda county. The famous "Iron Clad" Scotch Tweed Knickerbocker Suits with two pairs of pants.

All the new brown shades that will be in vogue for this winter are included in these special values.

Priced \$3.95 and \$4.95 at

We are showing by far the greatest aggression of Boys' Popular-priced Clothing ever shown on the coast. Our immense stock for this Fall eclipses all our previous efforts in point of variety, styles and values.

COME AND SEE THE 1910 FALL STYLES
THE BOYS' SHOP INVITES COMPARISON

Money-Back Smith
WASHINGTON STREET CORNER TENTH

MUSICIANS' UNION GIVEN A REBUKE

Labor Council Orders That Initiation Be Cut Down to \$21.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—The Labor Council tonight voted its disapproval of the action of the Musicians' Mutual Protective Union in advancing its initiation fee to \$100, suggesting that it reduce its fee to its former fee of \$21. The union was also advised to admit to membership some 200 musicians who formed a dual union because of the fee, or permit them to organize an auxiliary.

Another criticism was directed against Union No. 6 when it was advised to return \$35 paid its members for playing one piece after a controversy with the pupils of the Polytechnic High school during an entertainment at the Valencia theater.

The council received a request from the "Stereotypers' Union No. 23 asking for endorsement of resolutions condemning Congressman Hayes as an enemy of organized labor for alleged refusal to employ a union stereotypers on the San Jose Mercury and Herald, publications which he and his brother are said to own.

Secretary Gallagher upheld Congressman Hayes as a friend of labor, stating that he did not believe the complaint of the Stereotypers' Union was made in good faith.

COMPLAINT REFERRED.

By a vote of 788 to 25 the complaint was referred to the executive committee for investigation, despite the opposition of the stereotypers, who asked for immediate endorsement of their charges.

Complaint was made by the Water Workers' Union that the Board of Works intended to have plumbers call the valves for the auxiliary shaft water system which work was claimed by the water workers.

Secretary Gallagher was instructed to notify the Board of Works of this jurisdictional protest.

The stationary engineers were advised to withdraw from firms that employ non-union firemen. The Stationary Firemen's Union charged that union men were worked side by side with non-union firemen.

The council endorsed the new wage scale of the Hatters' Union. Action on the new wage schedule of the Sugar Workers' Union was deferred until the American Federation of Labor reports on the same.

The newly elected officers were installed.

Organizer Johannsen made an extended report to the council on the strike situation in Los Angeles. He gave a list of buildings that are tied up on account of the controversy, claiming that work was

DIRECTORS OF FAIR MAKE PLANS AT LUNCHEON

Suggestion Made for Finest Exposition Ever Seen in America.

SAN DIEGO PEOPLE PLEDGE GOOD-WILL

Say They Will Fight for San Francisco Against New Orleans.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—The directors of the Panama-Pacific International exposition and representatives of the San Diego fair cemented the good feeling that has lately supplanted the old rivalry with a luncheon at the Fairmont today. Pleas were made amidst a flood of enthusiasm that hereafter the two organizations would work shoulder to shoulder in paving the way for the greatest world's fair in the history of this city.

"When it comes to the real struggle of San Francisco against New Orleans," declared Director General D. C. Collier of the southern enterprise, "you will find that we San Diegans, with coats off and sleeves rolled up, are working as hard as your own patriotic citizens. You tested our mettle and found us worthy foemen. Now in the common assault on the enemy you will find we are just as good scrappers as ever."

Director R. B. Hale acted as toastmaster at the love feast and kept the company in enthusiastic humor.

EMINENT MEN ARE PRESENT.

Besides Director General Collier, United States Senator Francis G. Newlands and United States Senator George S. Nixon of Nevada, United States Senator W. G. Sumner of Missouri, Governor Samuel W. Gilllett, Mayor P. H. McCarthy and A. W. Sefton Jr. of San Diego spoke.

In all forty citizens, each eminent in his chosen walk of life, were present. William Kettner and R. C. Connolly with Collier and Sefton made up the San Diego delegation. J. D. Spreckels and A. G. Spaulding sent regrets at their inability to be present.

It was Chairman Hale's pleasing task to propose a toast to the success of the Panama-Pacific exposition, and the assembled group about the board table, with gusto, the visitors from the southern town entering as heartily as the home squad into the spirit back of the toast. After extending the heartfelt welcome of the directors to Senators Newlands and Nixon, Chairman Hale called upon Newlands for his views and suggestions as to the project to be carried out here in 1915.

"I have been dreaming out a plan of my own," said the senator from Nevada, "in regard to the site for the exposition, and this is a good place to set it in. The water front furnishes an admirable location, with the buildings erected to be utilized later for the accommodation of commerce of the port."

HALF-CIRCLE FORMATION.

"Let us have a half-circle formation with the ferry building as the center of the scheme and Rincon Hill on the south, the base and Telegraph Hill on the north as the other. Five or six reinforced concrete structures, something of the style of architecture of the ferry building, erected in the place of the present unsightly wharves and the main part of the exhibits would be housed in them."

"At the next election the proposition is to be voted upon to issue bonds to the amount of \$9,000,000 for harbor improvements, and that amount, with the \$7,500,000 raised by subscription for the fair, with the federal state and municipal appropriations, could be used to transform the water front into the most beautiful, as well as the most useful, harbor frontage in the world."

Chairman Hale pointed out that nature herself had made California an exposition state, with her profusion of beauty in mountain, valley, stream and lake, making two expositions possible, and then introduced Governor Gillett.

GOVERNOR'S PLAN.

"Our main buildings will be reproductions of the historic missions with vines and growing shrubs as decorations," he said. "We will show how few drops of water are utilized in giving life blood to waving orange groves."

Everything For Your Kitchen

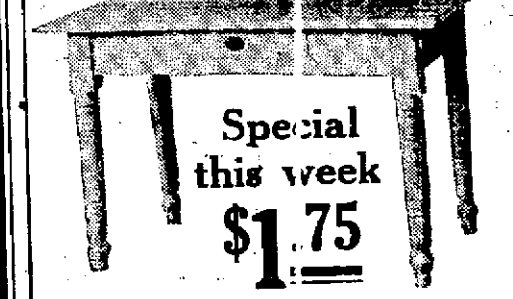
The Kitchen is really the most important room in the house. It is the workshop of the housewife. Its furnishings should be of the useful, substantial and durable kind.

Plenty of beautiful patterns to choose from. Possessing a heavy wearing surface. It will give you many years of wear.

LINOLEUM It's the best and most serviceable floor covering for any kitchen. Easily cleaned. It's always bright and fresh looking.

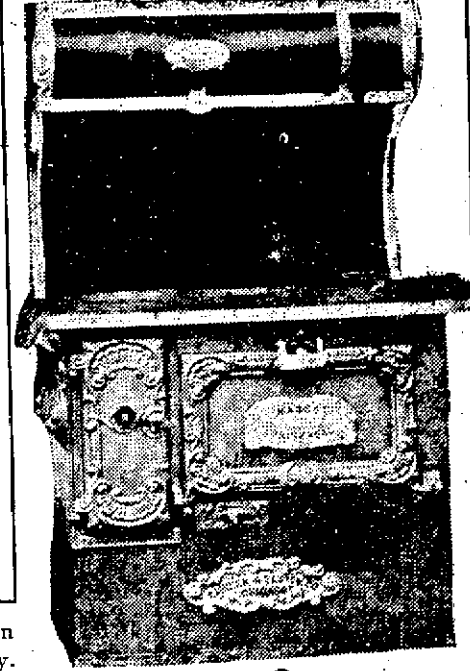
55c a yd. Laid on Your Floor

Kitchen Table



Special this week \$1.75

Built of strong, smoothly finished pine, every part substantial and capable of sustaining the wear and tear a Kitchen Table generally receives; made with drawer; a very useful feature.



\$32.50 For This High-Grade

Universal Steel Range
SET UP AND CONNECTED

Kitchen Chair

Built like a kitchen chair should be—strong and substantial. Nothing fancy about it. Solid seat, all parts well joined.

Special This Week 60c

We carry a large line of Kitchen Chairs; some of them with cane seats and more elaborate finishing. Come in and make your own choice.

SPECIAL FEATURES—High warming closet, oven door spring-balanced, asbestos lined flues; beautifully finished. This range is a great fuel-saver, a feature which will in a short time save you the difference of price between the UNIVERSAL and a cheap range. But you must see the UNIVERSAL to appreciate. Seeing is believing. Come in and let our salesman demonstrate it to you.

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Our line of Furniture is most complete and varied. We aim to carry only the best in every line.

BUSEY-MIHAN Furniture Company

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Remember that we extend liberal terms to all those who wish to buy on monthly payments. Come in and let us tell you more about it.

S. P. C. A. Denounces Cruel Shark Races

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Denouncing "shark races" as held along the water front as cruel in the extreme, the San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has announced its intention to put a stop to the so-called "sport."

On investigating the complaint filed with the society, officers found that the practice is common among the youth who loiter about the city water front and wharves. After the sharks

are captured, deep grooves are cut in the flesh of the fish and entirely around the body near the tail, and stout cords tightly fastened to the grooves. Ploats of box covers, shingles or fragments of driftwood are then made and attached to the end of the cord and the fish turned loose. For a time the fish evinces great activity, due to the pain of the wounded flesh, and their maneuvers delight the spectators and add to the fun of the barbaric practice.

"The society does not oppose the destruction of the sharks," said Secretary McCurtie today, "but they certainly should be killed quickly and humanely and not subjected to the long, lingering death thus inflicted upon them."

Drops Dead While Having Good Time

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—William Matulis, a plasterer, nephew of Police Judge Conlan, who resided at 12 Fair Oaks street, dropped dead tonight as he was emerging from a saloon at East and Howard streets. He was paid off at 11 and had been having a good time with two of his friends. Death is believed to have resulted from heart failure.

POLITICAL HONORS UP TO ROOSEVELT

He Can Represent His County at State Convention If He Only Says the Word.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The mere indication on the part of Theodore Roosevelt that he desires to be a delegate to the Republican State convention from Nassau county will be enough to secure him election as a delegate. From this his election as chairman of the convention will be but one step and it is practically certain that he will be selected. He may even be made permanent chairman, although the talk is that he will be made temporary chairman with the opportunity to outline his plans before the convention gets down to business.

Charles F. Loomis, county chairman of Nassau county, was asked today concerning the report that Colonel Roosevelt had been quoted as being quite willing to attend as a delegate if Nassau county wanted to send him.

"If Colonel Roosevelt desires to go to the convention I would be very glad if he is sent from this county as a delegate," said Mr. Loomis. "However, I have no direct knowledge of the fact that he would be willing to serve. The presence of Colonel Roosevelt at the convention would count for much, for it is practically certain that the organization throughout the State could be harmonized and success for the State ticket assured."

Bible Students to Convene Across Bay

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3.—The Bible Students' Association will meet in convention here next week and at 2 Auditorium, corner of Fage and Fillmore streets, has been engaged for the meeting. The officers of the organization are expecting a large attendance and arrangements are being made to accommodate a crowd.

A feature of the association is that it is non-sectarian. Members from all denominations will attend the convention, as well as a great number who are not members of any church, but who are interested in the study of the Bible for its instructive value alone.

No Time, No Place, Can You Beat These Values Monday will be a Banner Shopping Day at The Toggery

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Here's another great Toggery value. The newest Fall Style Suits in the latest and most desired materials, including homespun, chevrons, diagonals, worsteds and serges. Coats are 34 to 36 inches long. Skirts in the new plaited and gored effects.

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Women's Patent Gilt Oxford \$2.65	Little Ladies' High Grade Oxfords \$1.55	Boy's Satin Calf Shoes \$1.00
Women's stylish patent oxford wing tip, Gage last, well oiled. Value \$3.50. Now, \$2.65.	Patent kid and vici kid oxfords; dressy victor last, suitable for dress or school wear; value \$2.50; now, \$1.55.	The best value on earth: satin calf, Gage last; solid leather throughout. Sizes 5 to 13 1/2. \$1.00; 1 to 2, \$1.25; 2 1/2 to 5, \$1.50.

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Zeck Square in good condition	\$ 20.00
Packard Organ, oak case, second-hand but worth more than double the price	\$ 20.00
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Everett Upright, ebony case; exceptional fine tone	\$150.00
Fischer, as good as new, beautiful mahogany case; sacrificed for	\$225.00
Schumann—this handsome mahogany rare tone	\$400.00
Piano only	\$198.00
Schumann—another style; fancy case	\$228.00
Stultz Bros.; exceptional bargain; in San Domingo mahogany	\$200.00
Gilbert; mahogany case; same style as has been sold for \$360 and is worth every cent of it	\$175.00
Gilbert—still another, only this style has been sold for \$375. You can buy this one for less than half	\$185.00
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**A Few of the Well-Known Makes, New
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Spies—absolutely new, fine tone, fully guaranteed and a piano you should pay \$350. There is but one of them. \$167.
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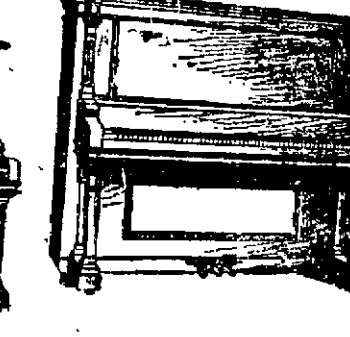
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\$475.00	Mahogany Case	\$275.50
\$475.00	Oak Case	\$310.00
\$445.00	Walnut Case	\$270.00
\$445.00	Oak Case	\$270.00
\$625.00	Oak Case	\$450.00
\$550.00	Walnut Case	\$315.00
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Woodward.

From Martinez—A. Q. Blum, G. E. Daley, Mr.
McDonald, J. R. Rogers.

From San Jose—J. A. Archer and wife, Mr.
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From Honolulu—E. L. Rodger.

From other points—C. Anheuser, L. N. B.
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From San Francisco—Mr. and Mrs. Freeman
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TAFT & PENNOYER

Our Advance Fall Display of Tailored Suits

is such as to compel the admiration and attention of all who are seeking garments that reflect the latest styles. New garments are arriving each day.

Among the very latest to be put on display are a number of high-grade, broadcloths, co. duroys tweeds, mixtures and chevrons. Strict tailoring throughout; plain gored skirts; the highest type of the tailor's art—\$25, \$30, \$35 and to \$75.

Fall's New Coats

Made of stylish rough mixtures; loose or semi-fitted models—\$25.50, \$30 and to \$45.

Silk and Chiffon Dresses

for afternoon and evening wear; swell effects; all fashionable colors; rich trimmings—\$20, \$35, \$40 and to \$75.

Advance Fall Millinery

We are now displaying a number of ultra-stylish Tailored and Dress Hats, showing the bold and exclusive modes of the new season—\$4.50 to \$45.00.

The Bedding Section

The early Fall-Winter shipment of Bedding necessities have arrived.

White Bed Spreads for 1/4 and full size beds; in crochet patterns. Prices range from \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 to \$2.75.

Handsome Marseilles Spreads are priced \$3, \$3.50, \$4 and to \$12.50.

A new line of Marseilles Spreads with scalloped edges and cut-out corners—\$4, \$5, \$6 and to \$12.

Demonstration of Nemo and Smart Set Corsets

Beginning August 15 and for the following two weeks our own corsetiere will be assisted by Mrs. Dean of New York. Mrs. Dean's thorough knowledge of her business will be invaluable to any one in selecting a Corset. We have Nemo and Smart sets in all the late models and popular prices.

NEMO styles 318-320 and 305—price.....\$3.50

NEMO styles 405-403 and 357—price.....\$4.00

NEMO styles 522 and 505—price.....\$5.00

We also have a line of \$2.00 Nemo which are special values. Our Smart Set Corset is an exclusive line, beautiful workmanship and design; range of prices—\$5, \$6.50, \$8.50, \$10, \$11.

Clay St., 14th and 15th, Oakland

HIGH STANDING OF GIRL GRADUATE WINS POSITION

Miss Evelyn Heyns, one of the graduates of the class of '10 of the Manual Training and Commercial high school, has been appointed secretary to P. M. Fisher, principal of the school, for a term of one year. With the permission of the board of education, Principal Fisher was granted an assistant and according to the arrangement made by Fisher with the board, the graduate making the best record in the commercial department will act as his secretary. By this method the graduates will be given practical office experience, preparatory to taking up their duties in the business world.

Upon the opening of the school term this year 220 freshmen were received in that institution, which marks the largest number of freshmen ever received there, and the school rooms are crowded.

"Every available room in this school and even the sheds are being occupied," said Prof. Fisher in discussing the needs of the institution. "I think the building of a new Manual Training and Commercial high school is one of the great needs of this city."



MISS EVELYN HEYNS, who has been appointed secretary to P. M. Fisher of the Manual Training and Commercial High School.

CRAZED PEASANTS TORTURE THIEVES

Terrible Case of Lynch Law Heard of in Eastern Russian Province.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 13.—A terrible case of lynch law is reported from the Viatka province of Eastern Russia. A group of peasants, who noticed the arrival of a stranger in the village of Poleosovka, called upon him to halt. The man did so, but he also fired upon the villagers, who then recognized him as one of the most daring house thieves known in the province.

Determined to punish him for his misdeeds, the peasants captured the intruder and inflicted horrible tortures upon him until he gave the names of some of his accomplices. The persons named were peasants of a neighboring village and the now infuriated administrators of summary justice captured those men also.

Though several of these unfortunate men were believed to have been wholly innocent of any participation in the thefts, they were so cruelly tortured that they in turn named others as accomplices.

Then the diabolical cruelty of the avenging mob knew no bounds. Horsewhipping was the mildest of the punishments inflicted upon the captives, some of the atrocious acts perpetrated being indescribable.

Sixteen people were horribly mutilated. All having lost eyes, hands or feet, whilst several had broken chests. Three men died under the ordeal and the condition of the others is extremely serious. The scenes lasted not one but two or three days, until the governor sent a detachment of troops to assist the local officials, who had been so overcome by the horrors that the witnesses had been incapable of effective repressive action.

REFORM CONGRESS TO OPEN SESSION

Annual Summer Meeting of California W. C. T. U. to Begin Today.

The annual summer meeting of the California Woman's Christian Temperance Union opens in the Trinity Presbyterian Church, Twenty-third and Capp streets, San Francisco, today and continues until the 19th. A full program has been prepared and topics of vital interest will be discussed by leaders in various reform movements.

Some of the speakers will be Prof. Edward Hyatt on "Conservation of Natural Resources"; Willard P. Hatch, on "The Problems of Youth Delinquency"; Rabbi Martin A. Meyer, on "The White Slave Traffic in San Francisco"; R. E. Bering, M. D., on "The Need of a State Institution for the Treatment of Chronic Alcoholics and Drug Habitues"; A. W. Hensholt, M. D., on "The Effects of Alcohol on Mentality"; Rev. C. E. Jones, on "Prohibition and Economics"; Rev. A. C. Bane, on "The Present Crisis in the Crusade Against the Liquor Traffic"; W. Swaine, on "The Exact Primary"; Rev. C. Augustus Turner, of New Zealand, on "Progressive New Zealand Government and Its Ideals"; Chester Rowell, on "The Insurgent Movement"; Mrs. Elizabeth L. Watson, on "Obedience to the Vision"; and Mrs. Minnie U. Rutherford, the guest of honor, will speak on "Woman's Part in Modern Civilization." Agencies: Messrs. Thomas E. Hayden and Thomas W. Forsyth will debate the equal suffrage question. These meetings are open to the general public.

CHARGE TREASURER WITH A SHORTAGE

Sensation Created When Biddeford Bank Closes Its Doors.

BIDDEFORD, Me., Aug. 13.—A sensation was created in Biddeford and Saco today when it was officially announced that the New York County Savings Bank of this city had closed its doors because of alleged irregularities in the accounts of Richmond H. Ingersoll, for fifty years treasurer of the institution, and one of the leading citizens of Biddeford.

The bank is in the hands of State Bank Examiner William B. Skelton, of Lewiston, who with President C. H. Prescott and the trustees has been examining the books for several days.

Salmon Pack Falls Short of Average

SEWARD, Alaska, Aug. 13.—Reports received here yesterday are that the salmon pack in the Bristol bay district and also at Karluk and Uyak, Kodiak Island, will fall far short of the average. It is believed that the output will not be more than three-fourths of the usual pack.

VOLCANO SPOUTS FIRE HIGH IN AIR

Mount Shisaldin in Eruption; Steamer Sends News by Wireless.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 13.—Wireless reports received here last night from the steamship Corwin confirm the news from Seward that Mount Shisaldin is again in eruption and give the additional information that Mount Pavloff, which is east of Shisaldin, is also in eruption. The wireless reports say that the eruption of Mount Pavloff is even more spectacular than that of the older volcano, the flames shooting into the air to a height of about 1500 feet.

The steamer A. G. Lindsay brought word to Seattle Wednesday night that Pavloff was belching forth great volumes of smoke, but it was not until the wireless report was received from the Corwin, covers approximately three degrees of longitude.

The extent of the disturbance as shown by the latest reports sent by the Corwin, covers approximately three degrees of longitude.

Philippines Army Closes Its Reunion

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—The army of the Philippines closed a three days' reunion today with the election of officers. A. H. Anderson of Pittsburgh was chosen commander in chief and W. H. Keating, of Oklahoma, Iowa, vice commander in chief. The following were elected junior vice commanders: Leon Lambert, Manila, P. I.; H. L. Wells, St. Louis, P. E. Kremps, St. Paul; Charles F. Mawham, Chicago, and Charles Means, Denver.

CARDINAL TO ACT AS HIGH ENVOY TO UNITED STATES



CARDINAL VICENZO VANNUTELLI, who will visit the United States soon.

Makes Important Trip Through Country

ROME, Aug. 13.—As special delegate appointed by the Vatican, Cardinal Vicenzo Vannutelli is preparing to visit the United States subsequent to his attending the Eucharistic Congress which will soon be held in Montreal. During his trip the Cardinal will visit some of the largest parishes in the East, where preparations are being made for elaborate ceremonies in honor of the occasion.

CHICAGO PLANNING BIG 'MARKET WEEK'

Arrangements Completed for Novel Exhibition and Displays.

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—Arrangements were completed today for the opening on next Monday of a novel exhibition, the show place of which will extend over the entire business center, filling five hundred show windows and eighty retail stores and shops.

The show, under the auspices of the Chicago Association of Commerce, is to be called "Market Week." It is to be confined to a display of various sorts of merchandise, either manufactured or controlled, as to its sale, in Chicago.

SHOPPING NEWS FOR WOMEN

Every Item Here Listed Is a Money-Saver. Look Them All Over Carefully—and Check What You Need

Silk Dresses

Formerly priced up to \$19.50
Most desirable styles of the season. \$6.25 to \$9.25

Silk Coats

Formerly priced up to \$10 \$4.85

Linen Dresses

Were formerly priced up to \$16.50. White, blue, lavender, tan, green. Princess effects, lace yokes and heavily braided.

\$2.95 and \$4.95

Linen Suits

Were formerly sold up to \$15. Whites and colors. Pleated and plain skirts. Silk or satin collars and cuffs.

\$2.95 and \$4.95

The "American Queen" Fall Suits

Direct from Fifth avenue to you come these aristocratic, rich and warm, tailor-made garments. All the newest features of the dernieres modes of Paris and Berlin are embodied in them. Freshness of appearance and comfort of fit characterize them. They come in broadcloths, homespun, serges and mannish mixtures. The prices are very moderate.

Dashing Fall Millinery

The prettiest millinery center in America, full of the loveliest styles shipped daily from the east. Every hat has that indescribable appeal and curving beauty that is in great demand this season — and rightly so. Prices mean in every case a saving to you of one-third to one-half.

Linen Skirts

95c

Sold before up to \$2.75. White only, plain and pleated.

Lingerie Dresses

Formerly priced at \$6.50. Trimmings with lace and embroidery.

\$3.25

Waists

85c

Lace and embroidery; Dutch necks, and short sleeves. Popular offering.

Cloth Suits

Were formerly sold up to \$85. Only a few of these left. Medium weights—fancy worsteds and chevrons. Notable reductions.

\$15.75 and \$21.50

Cloth Skirts

Were formerly sold up to \$7.50. Woolens, panamas, etc. Large assortment of patterns to choose from.

\$5.00

Children's Tub Dresses - 95c

Were up to \$2—Now

Petticoats

Plain colors, with matching bottoms; big assortment

\$4.35

Children's Bargains

Blue Serge and Red Sailor Suits\$5.00
Lingerie Dresses half price\$2.50
Straw Hats up to \$9.00 areOne-Half Off
Reefers; striped effects\$3.50

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SUSPECTED SLAYER LANDED BY POLICE

Los Angeles Patrolman to Go to Dillon in Hope of Identifying Man.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 13.—The provincial police have arranged for a Los Angeles policeman who knew William H. Hanes, wanted for the murder of Special Constable Decker at Kamloops, in June, 1909, to go to Dillon, Mont., to identify a suspect held there. The Victoria police believe the prisoner is the much-wanted train robber.

SEATTLE, Wash. Aug. 13.—Hanes is suspected of being the man who held up a Canadian Pacific train near Kamloops. In the pursuit of the robber, Constable Decker was shot to death.

A man of wide acquaintance and exceptional standing, having an automobile of his own, can greatly increase his present income with a well-established firm. A very meritorious proposition for which a man of unusual energy and ability is desired. Box B-686, Tribune.

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Glass and Gilding of All Kinds.
Oakland Mirror and Glass
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A Book on Oriental Medicine
"Diet and Hygiene," by the eminent and skilled physician,
DR. T. FOO YUEN
Everyone should have it, and every one can have it by calling or sending to 311 Broadway, corner 26th, Watch over all. Free catalogues sent free. Questions asked.

COTTON SUICIDE PROVED SUCCESS

Rheims Resident Tried Every Other Means of Shuffling Off, But Failed.

PARIS, Aug. 13.—An instance of the most obstinate and repeated attempts at suicide, which were crowned with success at last, is furnished, according to the Temps, by a man aged 41, at Rheims. A month ago he made his first attempt by throwing himself into a canal. He was rescued by another man, whom he used for saving him, and said that he would begin over again. A few days later, in fact, he tried to hang himself in a public park with a cord, but it broke and he fell to the ground. He then took a revolver and fired two shots, one into his head and one into his chest. He was taken to a hospital, where he was covered and was discharged three days ago.

His next attempt was to go to the railway station armed with a revolver, with the intention of shooting himself in the back as an express was arriving. His idea was that even if the bullets failed to do the work, the express would run into him. He did as he had intended and just as the express was approaching the station he stood on the edge of the platform and fired five shots into his mouth. But instead of falling forward as he had expected, he fell back, and was once more taken to the hospital. Not one of the five shots in his mouth had been fatal, and he begged the doctors to let him die. As no attention was paid to his request he seized a knife from one of the attendants and plunged it twice up to the hilt into his abdomen. But even these wounds failed to be fatal and the hospital surgeon stitched them up.

Finally the man tore away all the bandages from his bandages and swallowed it. He then drank as much water as he could, which so inflated the wadding in his stomach that it caused his death. He had swallowed about a pound and a quarter of cotton.

Remodel Jewelry, Pay Duty on Repairs

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—American Society women henceforth may take their wearing apparel and other personal effects, including gowns, jewelry, etc., and have them remodeled or repaired in Paris, London or elsewhere, and on their return pay duty only on the alterations instead of the entire effects as now.

This news, gratifying to a host of more or less rich people, is conveyed in a decision of the treasury department issued by Secretary MacVegh and made public today.

NO SIGN OF A PIMPLE

Poslam Eradicates Blemishes and All Skin Troubles.

"I have been troubled with pimples and blackheads for four years. I was a Washington gentleman in the government service, and have used salves and blood tonics. None of them has been of benefit to me, but Poslam has done the work and my face is clear, with no sign of a pimple."

The work of eradicating pimples, facial blemishes, clearing the complexion, red noses, etc., is among the easier accomplishments of Poslam in which every night results are seen. Being a strictly medicinal preparation its properties far exceed those of the balsams and lotions usually employed. In all of the many forms of skin troubles in both infants and adults, Poslam produces beneficial results from first application. Eczema, acne, herpes, tetter, piles, barbs, iteh, salt crusting, scaly scalp, etc., yield readily to its remarkable curative properties. No matter what part of the body may be affected, it may be easily treated with Poslam.

Poslam can be had for 50 cents at any reliable druggists, particularly the Oak Drug Co., or the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West 26th street, New York City, will send a sample free by mail to any one who will write for it. This is sufficient to show results in twenty-four hours.

PRICES HESITANT IN WALL STREET

Several Factors Tend to Halt Recovery in Many Stocks.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The further course of the recovery in stocks this week developed some hesitation by reason of the extent of the rally, the reaction of the short interest, the lessening of the investment demand and the disposition to realize profits.

Weather conditions have indicated some improvement of the crops over the monthly condition estimates by the government, but the heavy deterioration there shown from earlier hopeful estimates remains an underlying influence. A post-war banking surplus has not inclined bankers to buy mortgage securities freely nor to lend money for fixed periods. The bond market remains almost stagnant. Metal trade advices indicate continued contractions.

Congress of the Deaf Elects New Officers

COLORADO SPRINGS, Aug. 13.—Olaf Hanson of Seattle was elected president of the World's Congress of the Deaf at its session today. Other officers elected were Anton Schroeder, St. Paul; Mrs. J. S. Long, Council Bluffs, Iowa; F. J. Carpenter, Chicago, vice-president; O. E. Regensberger, Los Angeles, secretary; and C. M. Freeman, Cave Springs, Ga., treasurer.

The next meeting of the congress will probably go to Seattle.

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MRS. COREY PLANS TO RETURN TO FOOTLIGHTS

Will Appear as Katherine in the "Taming of the Shrew."

WILL ACT AT TWO CHARITY MATINEES

American Hostesses Have Gay Time in Scotland and Isle of Wight.

(By A. J. LAMBERT.)

LONDON, Aug. 13.—Probably one of the most interesting events of the London season next year, unless there is an unexpected hitch in the present smoothly progressing negotiations, will be the reappearance of Mrs. William E. Corey upon the stage.

Mrs. Corey's intended reappearance will consist only of two matinee performances, the proceeds of which will be devoted to charity. This will give Mrs. Corey an opportunity of satisfying an ambition she has long had of demonstrating that though her stage life as Miss Mabelle Gilman was devoted to musical comedy, she possesses histrionic ability of a more classic nature. The play wherein she is appearing is Shakespeare's "Taming of the Shrew," in which she will take the part of Katherine.

STARTS TO WORK.

The definite beginning of these dramatic plans occurred during Mrs. Corey's recent visit to London with her husband just previous to his sailing for America. It is understood the negotiations had his assent and that he is perfectly agreeable that his charming wife should make this temporary stage appearance. Lewis Walker's brother was the negotiator and matters, it is understood, have progressed to practically a definite point. Mrs. Corey will take Walker's theater for a week in May, Walker to organize the company, and himself play Petruchio.

As stated, Mrs. Corey will appear only twice at matinees and during the remainder of the engagement there will be another Katherine. Mrs. Corey will bear the financial responsibility of the production and whatever surplus there is will be devoted to some charity as yet undesignated.

ACTIVE HOSTESS.

The Countess of Craven, who was a Bradley Martin, has developed into one of the most active hostesses in England. Her week-end parties at Combe are amongst the most attractive there. Neither she nor her husband care for town life, preferring the country, where her guests find greater life in doing as they please, with none of the restraints of formality obtaining in other houses.

Last week her uncle, Frederick Townsend Martin, contrived to keep a large party amused with bridge, music, motor drives and the best of everything in the culinary line. Amongst the staying with Lady Craven are the Marchioness of Dufferin, Mrs. George Cornwallis West, Col. and Lady Sarah Wilson, Lord and Lady Sackville, Lord Basil Blackwood, Lord and Lady Villiers and Lord Claude Hamilton.

Mrs. Bradley Martin will entertain a large shooting party until the end of October. Her guests include some of the best shots in the country.

STAYING AT KENT.

Mrs. J. E. Smith is staying in Kent, where she receives frequent reports on the progress of the decorations of her house in Grosvenor Square, which when completed, will be one of the finest mansions in London. All the reception rooms will be done in the Italian renaissance. Mrs. Smith has been busy preparing a wonderful collection of old masters, which are now in storage awaiting a public appearance when the house is opened this winter.

Dan Sully is spending a quiet week in London with the single idea of obtaining the rest that he plainly needs. He goes to bed about 7 each night. He looks worn and tired and intends to go to Paris for a brief visit. He will return to New York early in September.

While refusing to discuss his pet schemes, nevertheless he indicated that when he returns to New York there will be something doing in cotton.

PREPARES FIGHT ON STANDARD OIL

Lord Cowdry Buckles on the Armor and Takes Up His Lance.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—Lord Cowdry, better known as Sir Westman Pearson, has again buckled on his armor and proposes to fight his opponents of the Standard Oil on the oil fields of Mexico. He will leave London at the end of this month, going first to New York and thence to Mexico by way of St. Louis. This is the trip that he ought to have taken last spring, but deemed it advisable not to venture into the country where violent feuds were raging between him and the Waters-Pierce interests.

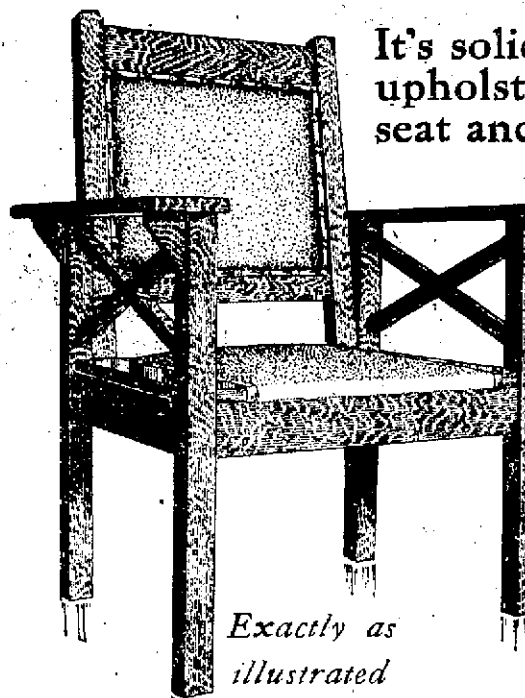
During these months of comparative quiet Lord Cowdry has thoroughly organized his resources and his campaign will be aggressive, no quarter being shown. He realizes it will be a battle to the death, but it is his boast that he has never been worsted in any financial contest. He has expressed to his friends his willingness to spend every dollar to maintain the control and supremacy of his oil fields.

Lord Cowdry's appearance in Mexico will probably be the signal for a renewal of hostilities and it is also expected that the Standard Oil, with its huge resources, will not only fight him in Mexico, but that during his absence it will conduct a formidable campaign in England.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Claude Jones, 17 years old, employed as an elevator boy at the Sunset Publishing company, 215 Battery street, was caught between the cog wheels of a lift this afternoon and sustained serious injury. After treatment at the Harbor Hospital, where Dr. Skogshorn discovered that he had sustained a possible fracture of the skull, he was taken to his home, 227 Vallejo street.

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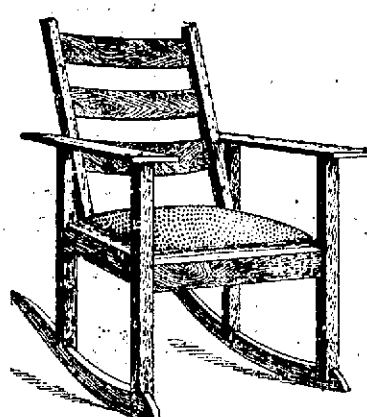


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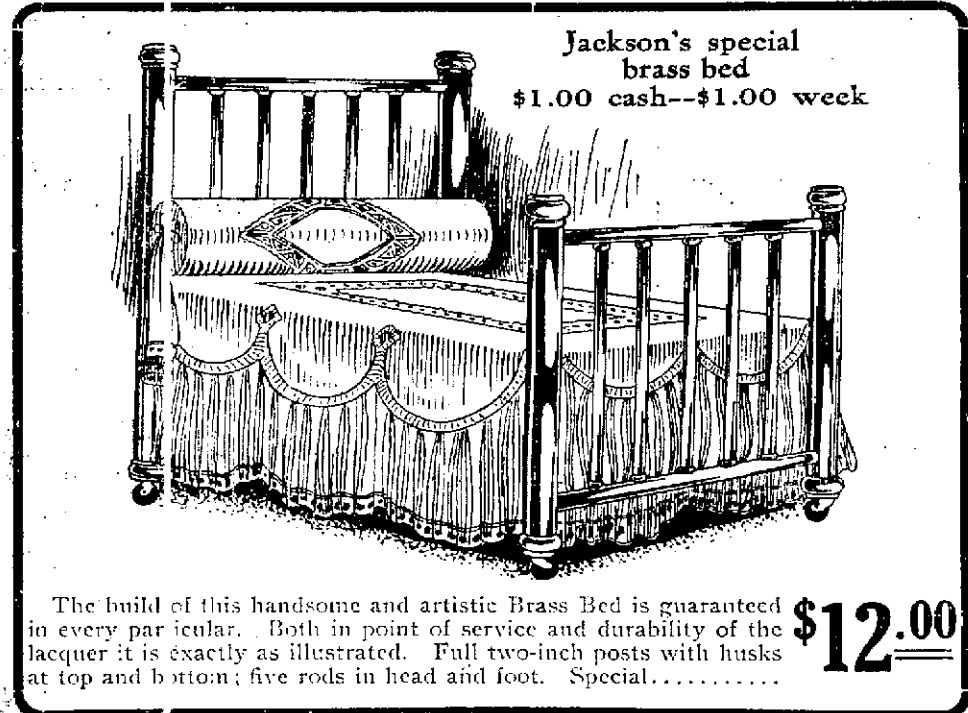
In white and Arabian, full double size, pretty Batterberg center, in spread and bolster, heavy French net. Special Monday and Tuesday—per set—

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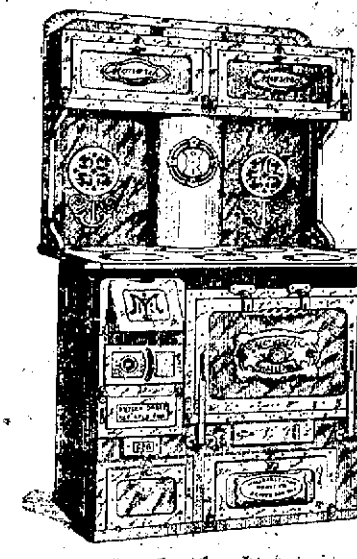
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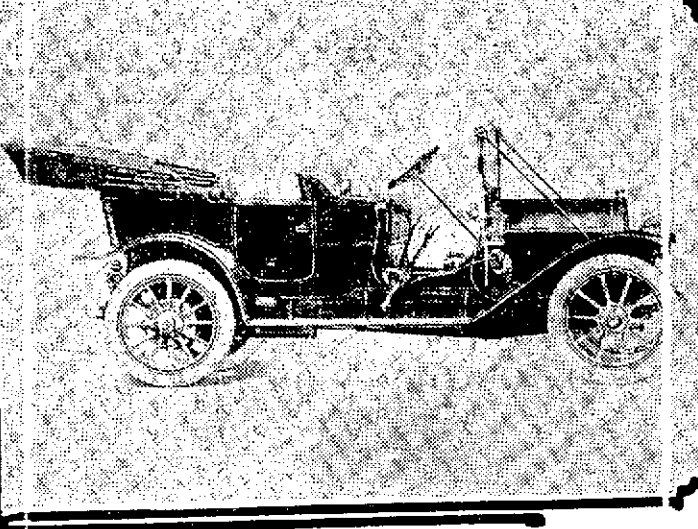
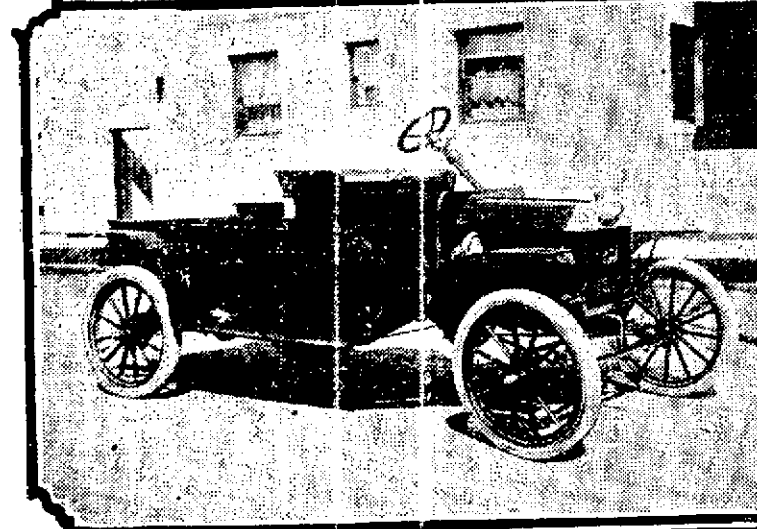
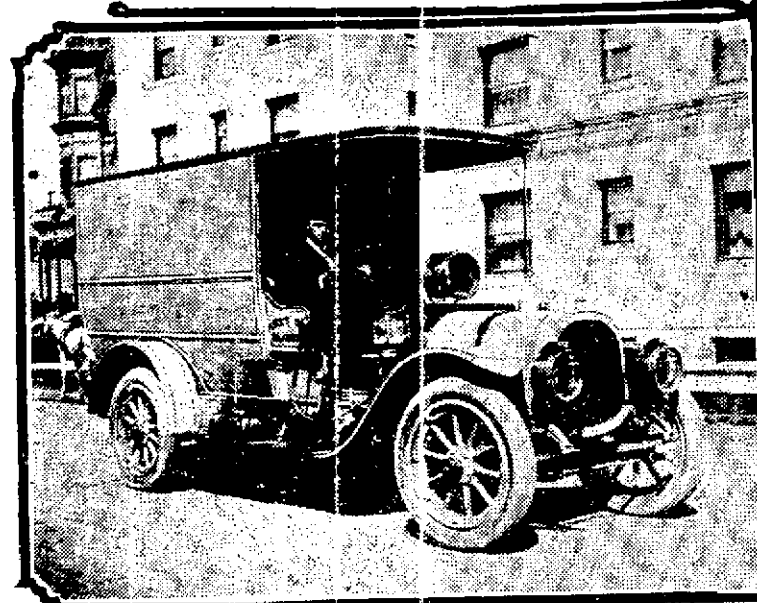
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The Tribune's Automobile Section

The beautiful Pope-Hartford Patrol Wagon which has been purchased by the city of Alameda.

Miss Beatrice Priest of the Lew Fields Co. and party in her Studebaker-Garford which was converted into a little hotel.



The new Ford Delivery Wagon, a number of which are now being delivered.

The new 1911 Cadillac "30" which is to be handled in Oakland by the Central Motor Car Company.

BIG MEADOWS IS RETREAT DE LUX

Fred B. Taylor Describes the Recent Tour in His E-M-F- Auto.

"Many motorists do not know that automobiles are taken across the California divide on the Southern Pacific freight train, but such is the case, the fare being a small item in comparison to the pleasure derived from touring state via that route," says Fred B. Taylor, a leading druggist of Oakland and an enthusiast on motoring. "It is by far the easiest way in which to reach Napa, Solano and the Northern California

counties, and should have many pleasure touring motorists. Selecting Big Meadows, Plumas county, as the objective point via the route in question, and accompanied by J. A. Custer of Oakland and Joseph Connor of San Francisco, I made this trip recently in my E-M-F touring car," continued Taylor. "It proved one of the most delightful trips we had ever made with my car. Leaving Berkeley, the other side of the divide, our first day's run took us to Eureka, sixteen miles beyond Marysville, our speedometer reading 192 miles and our gasoline consumption being just ten gallons. The next day we made Martin's Camp via Paradise, the lava rock road between Oroville and Paradise being easily negotiated. Our third day, out Sunday, and Humboldt Valley, the distance between the latter two points being seven miles all of down grade, but one of the most beautiful spots in the state. Approaching Prattville, we encountered numerous steep grades and small winter rains, necessitating much slow driving. Big Meadows is populated by exceedingly hospitable people, all of whom set for appetizing table, gamey fish, running from the bank to several points, abundant and it is with considerable reluctance that one leaves such surroundings as exist there. It is an ideal motorists' retreat."

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AUTO DEALERS PRAISE SUPERVISORS' EFFORTS

Merchants and Factory Representatives Declare Bridge and Kelley Have Done Much for County

We, the undersigned automobile dealers and factory representatives in Alameda county, fully recognize the efforts of Supervisors Kelly and Bridge in giving to Alameda county the best roads of any county in the entire State of California, and by so doing earning the respect and admiration of the hundreds of motorists who travel through our county to and from all points throughout the State, thereby improving upon two motorists as they come and go, of the progressiveness of our county. The aggregate of the expenditure by the constant travel in and through this county by motorists amounts to an enormous sum in a year's time. We, ourselves, and the merchants of the county are thereby greatly benefited from the many owners and friends of automobiles in the county their hearty support and votes for both Supervisors Bridge and Kelly at next Tuesday's primary election. By lending your support in this manner, the election of both of these honorable gentlemen, who have been of inestimable benefit to this county in the furtherance of good roads movements, is assured. MORGAN & WRIGHT TIRE CO., by Fremming & Tibbets.

MAXWELL PROVING MOTOR TRUCKS POPULAR CAR TRIAL BY ARMY

Seventeen Sold and Delivered in the Past Two Months Is the Record Made.

A remarkable record of sales reported by Melver and Becker and published a few days ago is further added to during the past week by the additional sale of five more Maxwell's, making seventeen in all. This is a record which in the last two months. It is a record which in the future will not be surpassed for some time to come. Coming as it does during the exceedingly dull period of the automobile season, it is a striking tribute not only to the quality of the car but also the consistent efforts of the representatives of the company, Mr. Melver & Becker and Sales Manager Hull. An average of a car a week during the summer months is considered by the majority of the dealers as a splendid business, hence the above record seems almost unbelievable, but true. Cars were delivered during the past week to Mr. Rathjen, who secured a Model 2 Maxwell, to Mr. E. Campbell, a Model 2 to F. C. Baker and G. Hollingsworth, each a Model A., and a Model G to Mr. Battenhouse. Mr. Baker drove his little AA to Fresno the same night that delivery was made to him. The following postal card received from him is in itself explanatory: "The little Maxwell ran perfect on the trip down. Made the first 70 miles to Gilroy in 4 hours and over half the distance was covered after dark. Made the 52 miles to Los Banos from Gilroy in 4 hours and the remaining 70 miles to Fresno, over pretty bad and dusty roads in 3 hours and 45 minutes. Did not use the low gear on entire trip over two miles."

Mr. Baker had previously owned and driven a four-cylinder car and evidently is delighted with his new purchase. Among the many interesting experiments tried during the trip on the part of the regular army at Chickamauga, this season just past was one led by Major G. G. Bailey, Quartermaster of the Department of the Gulf. A White motor truck was installed to transport provisions from Chattanooga to Chickamauga, a distance of some eleven miles. Owing to the continuous rain the road conditions during much of the time were unfavorable and yet the truck made daily trips to Chattanooga, and on many occasions two and three trips. The average time for the trip of twenty-two miles was two and a half hours—he best average by army trucks, severe and a half hour. In fact, so satisfactory to the army officers was operation of the truck that they stated that the one truck easily replaced six mule teams of our miles to the team. The trip-up expenses, of course, of the motor truck as compared with twenty-four mules was very much in its favor. After the demonstration of the truck had progressed to the point where it was said by many of the army officers to exceed all expectations, various other experiments were tried. For instance, during the army maneuvers the truck was used to distribute ammunition to the Gray army. This work was started about 9 o'clock in the morning and completed at 12, a demonstration of speed never before accomplished in this manner. It having been stated by the officer in charge that six to eight mule teams, at the greatest possible speed, would have required until 4 or 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The advantage of the speed in actual warfare is almost beyond calculation, often meaning the saving of a corps or the entire army from defeat. So great was the enthusiasm among the officers that it was confidently stated by them that it would be but a very short time before every army post in the country would be equipped with at least one of these White trucks.

NEW COMPANY TO HANDLE CADILLACS HERE

Central Motor Car Co. Become Alameda County Agents for Well Known Car.

An announcement of no little interest to the public in this section was made last night by the Central Motor Car Co. They have concluded arrangements whereby they become 1911 representatives of the Cadillac Motor Car Co. in Alameda and Contra Costa counties. This announcement is all the more interesting in view of the interest with which the motor loving public of this community are awaiting the arrival of

this new car. The Cadillac for 1911 will be of the same general mechanical construction as that of 1910, but will have many detailed improvements. This year's motor has been increased in size. It now has a 4 1/2-inch bore, developing 8 more horsepower. The wheel-base has been increased from 112 to 119 inches, making possible a much larger and more comfortable tonneau. A double drop frame is another of the changes made. The use of the double drop frame will also tend to bring about abundance of tonneau room. Bosch high tension Magneto and the Delco system of ignition form two distinct systems, full floating rear axle with large Timken roller bearings, larger and more efficient brakes, same oiling system as used last season, no better method having been found (and in this connection we might say that with this system it is possible to travel 800 miles to the gallon or oil, making this car one of the most economical cars on at now made), are but a few of the many improvements on the new model. The Cadillac has always been known as an easy riding car, and the increase in the size of the wheel-base for the coming season will make it still easier riding.

The car equipment includes a 60-mile Standard speedometer, robe rail, foot rest in the rear and a half foot rest in the front, giving added comfort here; Prestolite gas tank, electric side and tail lamps and a complete set of tools and tire repair outfit. "For the coming season," according to Mr. Christenson of the Central Motor Car Company, "the Cadillac will be made in seven different models, consisting of a touring car, two or three-passenger; runabout, detachable top tonneau, Torpedo, four door coupe and limousine. All of these models are being built on the same chassis."

Speaking further on the subject, Mr. Christenson says: "All present Cadillac owners will be taken care of by us. A complete stock of parts will be carried in stock and sold at factory list prices and all Cadillac owners will be assured of the best of treatment by us. On August 21st, we will announce in THE TRIBUNE the complete specifications of the 1911 cars. In the near future we will have something good to offer in a strictly high grade, low priced Cadillac car. At the present time we are not in a position to give out any information concerning them."

Funeral Services for Joe Gans Held

BALTIMORE, Aug. 13.—Funeral service over the body of Joe Gans, former champion lightweight boxer, who died last Wednesday of consumption, was held in Whatcoat (colored) M. E. Church today. Several thousand persons, while and colored, gathered by the casket. Burial was in Mount Auburn cemetery.

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About the only expense I have been put to, and this was hardly necessary, was 25c for some copper terminals and two spark plug porcelain; the whole thing costing perhaps \$1.00. I find it an easy matter to run with the best of them, and when it comes to doing a hill or speeding along I do not find many who care about going any faster than I can. You have certainly added me to your

list of Stevens-Duryea friends.

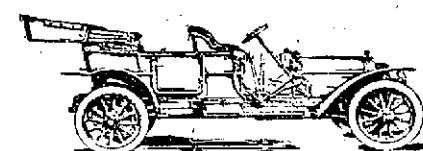
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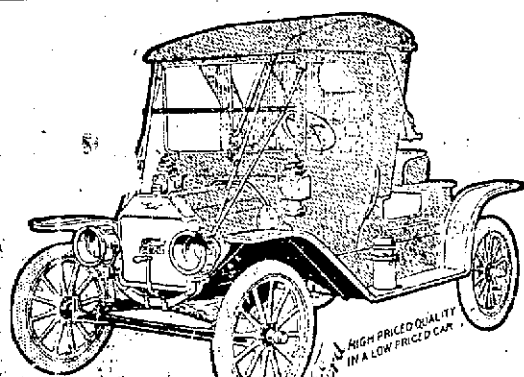
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EDITORIAL

ABOUT THOSE 'SOLD' SIGNS

One growly individual who visited Rock Ridge Place under protest, so he claimed, remarked that it made him think of a cemetery with all those lettered boards sticking up out of the ground. He referred to the 'SOLD' signs, when we must admit admit do appear in great profusion. In passing we might mention that one was erected for Mr. Groun before he left the property, so he can't talk about cemeteries any more without including his own head-piece.

No wonder the poor man was bewildered by signs. The sale of another 120-foot home-site on the north arm of Rock Ridge Boulevard this week leaves not a lot from the entrance to the circle which does not bear a 'SOLD' sign. On the south side of the boulevard there are only two home-sites left, both of them 120-foot properties. On Ocean View Drive, between Broadway and Rock Ridge Park, out of the twenty frontages which occupy this space only three remain unsold.

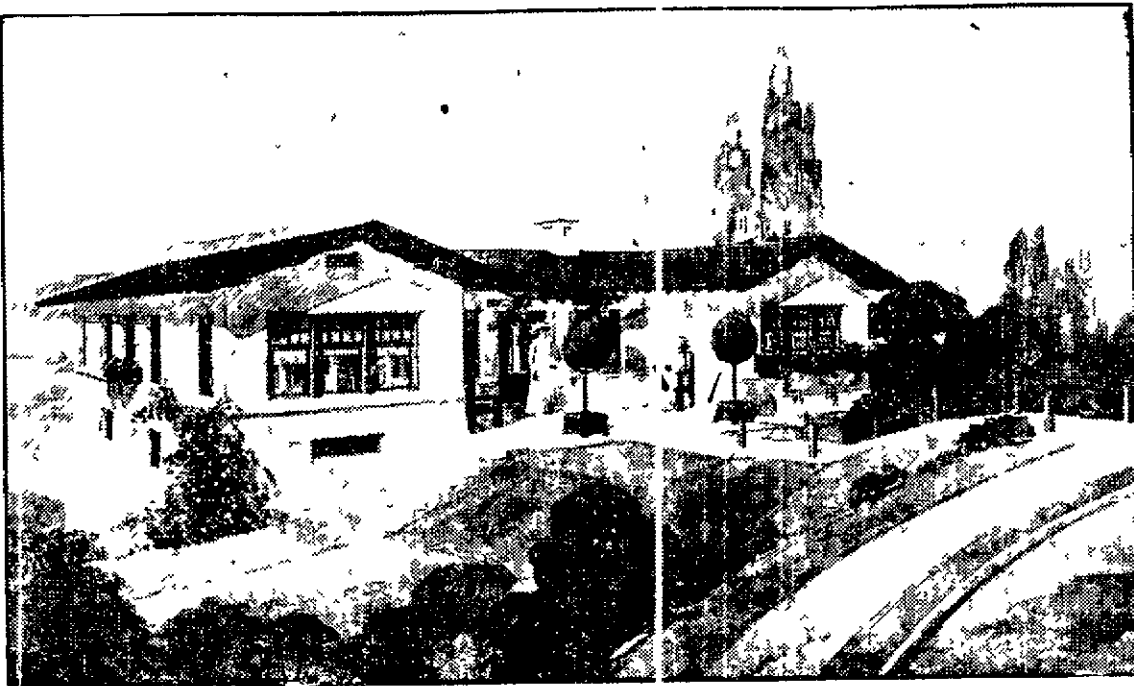
EVERY LOT A BEAUTIFUL LOT

The beauty of Rock Ridge Place is that every lot is a choice and of great value. It is largely a question of personal liking which gives the choice of a lot, but while many are sold it does not follow that the most desirable lots are gone. Home-sites in Rock Ridge Place are individual, so that everyone can suit his own taste in picking out the spot for his home.

For the man who wants to be in or near Broadway because of its nearness to the city line and its investment values some wonderful opportunities are still open. For the aesthetic person who desires a better view and greater privacy there remains a number of the most beautiful lots in the subdivision, those higher slopes on Prospect avenue where only the pines here and there break the view of the Golden Gate. Then there are delightful spots on a sunny hill side sheltered by the tall eucalyptus trees of the low-lying estate. Distinctive homes with sunken gardens can be built on any of these Prospect avenue home-sites with excellent effect.

So that while over half of Rock Ridge Place has within the last two months been sold to discerning people who appreciate its remarkable value as an investment and its remarkable beauty as an exclusive residence district, there yet remains the choicest of home-sites for those who visit the property in the near future.

To reach Rock Ridge Place take the College avenue car to Lawton avenue and walk one block east to Broadway.



The attractive bungalow now being built in Rock Ridge Park by the Golden Sheaf Bakery.

TWO MONTHS OF MAKING GOOD

Promised Improvements More Than Fulfilled in
Rock Ridge Place

Two months ago when Rock Ridge Place was first opened to the public, it was a blank slate. The improvements promised at the time have been more than fulfilled. The roads are now paved with macadam, the sidewalks are finished, and the water supply is adequate. The electric service is in, and the telephone connections are being made. The result of this policy is that the property is now a desirable place to live in, and the improvements are being made in a way that is most satisfactory to the owners.

Gas Reaches Property

Though gas was not promised for a year, it is already on the ground in Rock Ridge Place. Because of the fact that the gas company has been able to lay its pipes along the main road, the gas is now available for the property. This is a great improvement, and it is a promise that has been more than fulfilled.

Entrance About Completed

The Italian Renaissance entrance, now nearly completed, is a fitting monument to the improvements made in Rock Ridge Place. The entrance is a beautiful structure, and it is a promise that has been more than fulfilled.

Parks and Parkways

In the parks and parkways too the improvements have been more than fulfilled. The parks are now beautiful, and the parkways are finished. This is a great improvement, and it is a promise that has been more than fulfilled.

Large Frontages Held

Though nothing was originally said about large home-sites, the sales agents of this property decided that the wide frontages would be more valuable if a number of the home-sites were 100 feet instead of 120 feet. Accordingly, certain lots have been set off in 100 foot frontages, and the sales agents are now selling them. This is a great improvement, and it is a promise that has been more than fulfilled.

Broadway Improved

No promise to improve Broadway was made, yet already notices are posted calling for the paving of Broadway from Clinton street to Ocean View Drive. This stretch of half a mile shows the western boundary of Rock Ridge Place.

Sewers Are Laid

The sewer pipes are now in throughout Rock Ridge Place. All pipes are laid on the right property lines, so the streets will never need to be torn up.

Water Provided

The temporary water supply adequate for fifty houses which is now in Rock Ridge Place is to be superseded by a permanent service brought from Piedmont. A six inch main is now being laid to carry this supply to Rock Ridge. The cost of the entire system will be \$25,000. Since the best water in the region is that from the Piedmont reservoir, the owners of Rock Ridge are not content to furnish any other. The permanent system must go in at once before the old macadam pavements are laid.

Oiled Macadam Making Good

The best street was money could buy was paved in the entire Rock Ridge Place. The paving is about completed throughout Rock Ridge Place, and when it is done the curbs are in the place. The laying of the oiled macadam will begin in a few days. The new street will be no better road than these in the United States.

Telephone Connections

A month ago telephone connections were made in Rock Ridge Place, so that the residents enjoy the same service as obtained in other parts of the city.

Electric Service In

Electric service is now in Rock Ridge Place. The service is put upon the line, and the connections are made. The result of this policy is that the property is now a desirable place to live in, and the improvements are being made in a way that is most satisfactory to the owners.

Results of This Policy

The result of this policy of the Laymance Real Estate Company is a property that is now a desirable place to live in, and the improvements are being made in a way that is most satisfactory to the owners. The property is now a desirable place to live in, and the improvements are being made in a way that is most satisfactory to the owners.

Making Good?

Go out to Rock Ridge Place today and see. Two months ago at our opening we agreed that in four months our improvements would be in.

During these two months we have accomplished three months work. Our pavements are well along, our gutters, curbs, and sidewalks will be finished in another month, a temporary water supply is in, and a permanent one is under way, sewer connections are completed, electric and telephone service are in, big grass plots are up, and the parkways planted. The classic entrance is almost finished. Though we did not promise gas for a year we have already bought it to the property.

We are spending \$200,000 on improvements in our Rock Ridge properties because we know they are the finest residence properties on the coast. We have an ideal back of the development of this beautiful section more complete than any other ever put on the ground in California.

We know that once you realize this plan you are going to want to live in Rock Ridge Place.

Go out today and see us making good.

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YARDMASTER IS KILLED BY TRAIN

E. S. Brown Crushed to Death
When Caught Between
Car and Curb

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—E. S. Brown, yardmaster at the Southern Pacific station, was killed by a train at 10:15 a. m. today. He was caught between a car and a curb. The train was moving at a high speed, and Brown was unable to get out of the way in time. He was killed instantly.

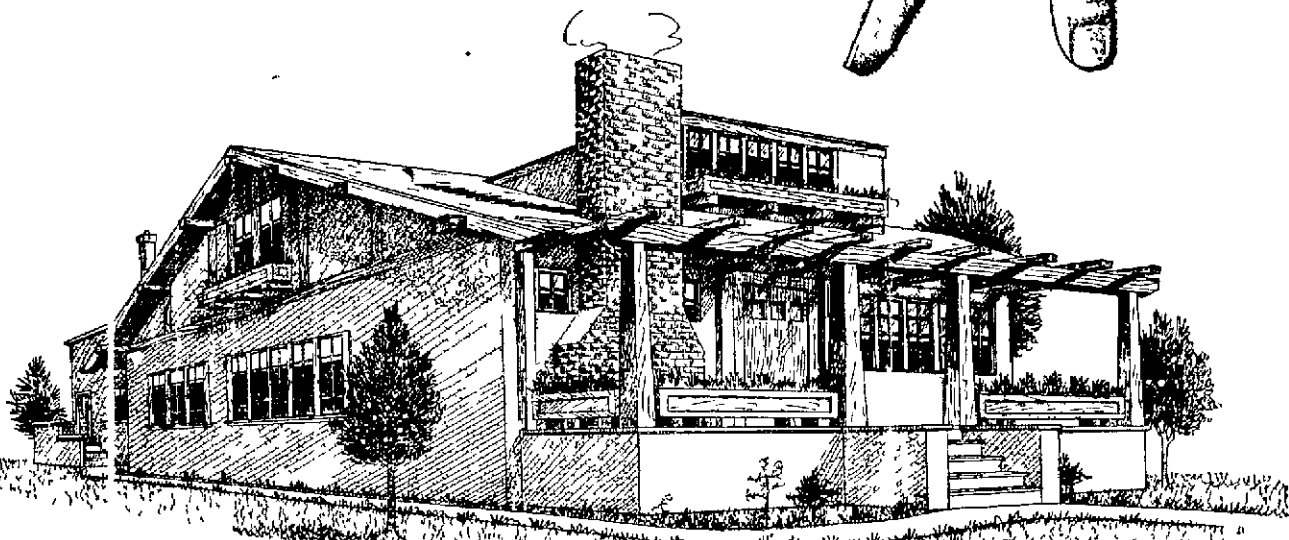
TURKS DISAPPOINTED IN CONSTITUTIONAL REGIME

Expected Too Much When They Deposed
Sultan for Parliamentary Government
and Are Now Paying the Penalty

BERLIN, Aug. 12.—According to news received from Constantinople, the Turkish people are disappointed in the constitutional regime. They expected too much when they deposed the Sultan for a parliamentary government, and they are now paying the penalty. The people are disappointed in the new government, and they are now paying the penalty.

Local government of course in point of fact has been abolished, and the Turkish people are disappointed in the new government. They expected too much when they deposed the Sultan for a parliamentary government, and they are now paying the penalty. The people are disappointed in the new government, and they are now paying the penalty.

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Monks Are Ordered to Cut Luxuriousness

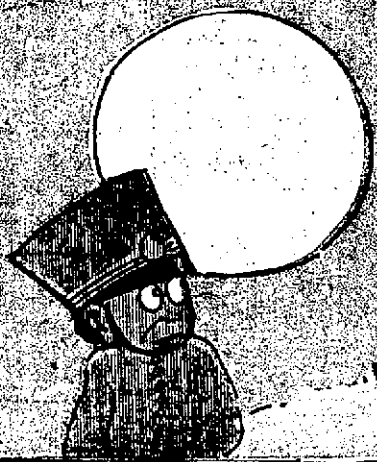
VIENNA, Aug. 13.—The head of the Cistercian order in Austria-Hungary has issued a circular to the various Cistercian monasteries in the monarchy in which the monks are ordered to return to the strict observance of the old rules of the order. The monks are ordered to cut their luxuries in matters of dress and food, and to live more simply. The monks are ordered to cut their luxuries in matters of dress and food, and to live more simply.

The Oakland Tribune.

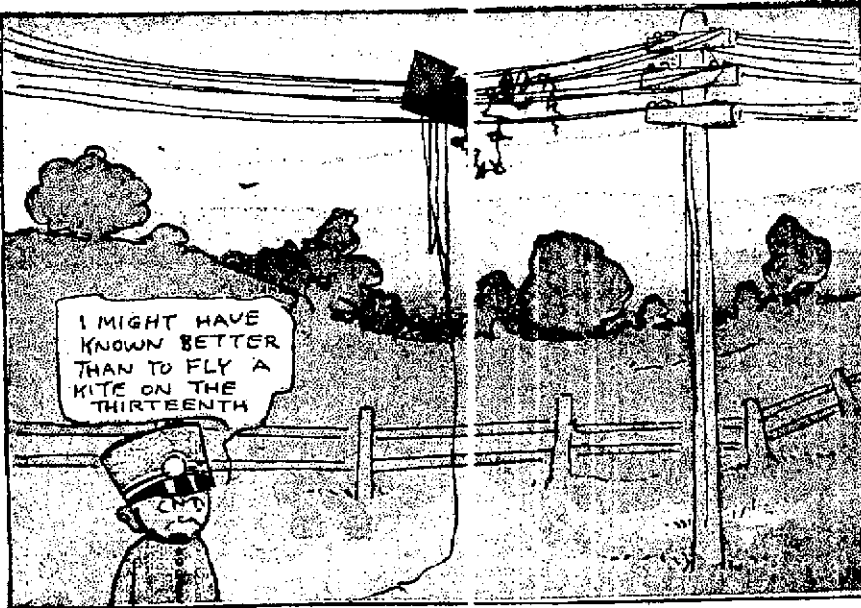
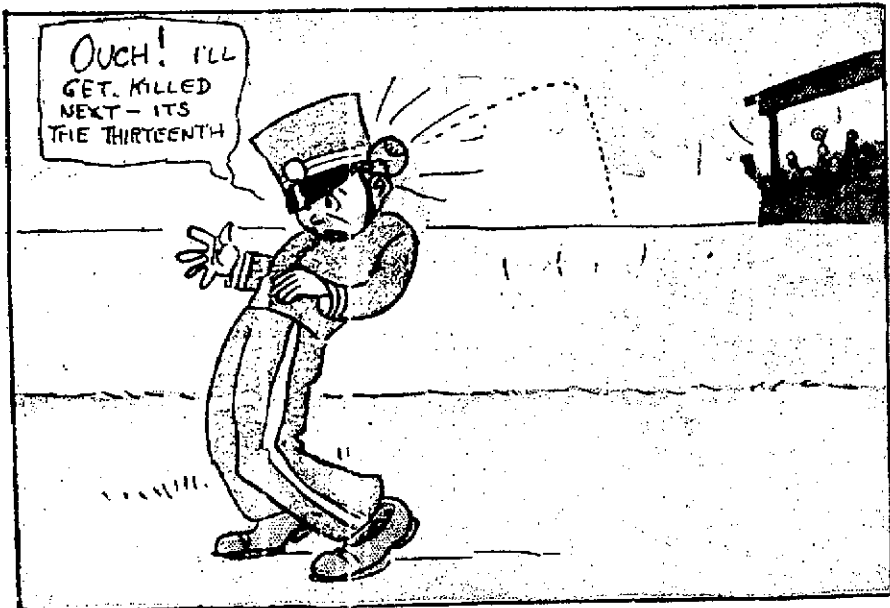
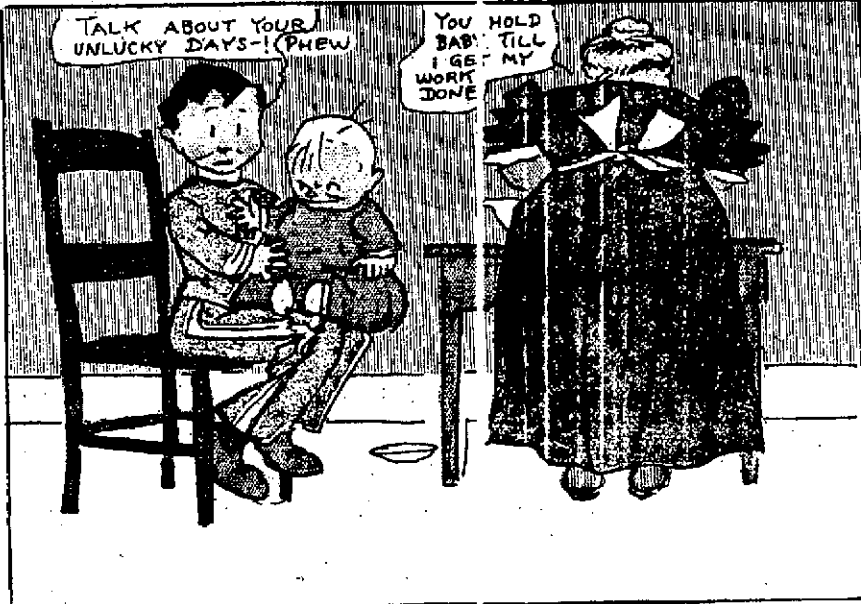
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Danny Dreamer

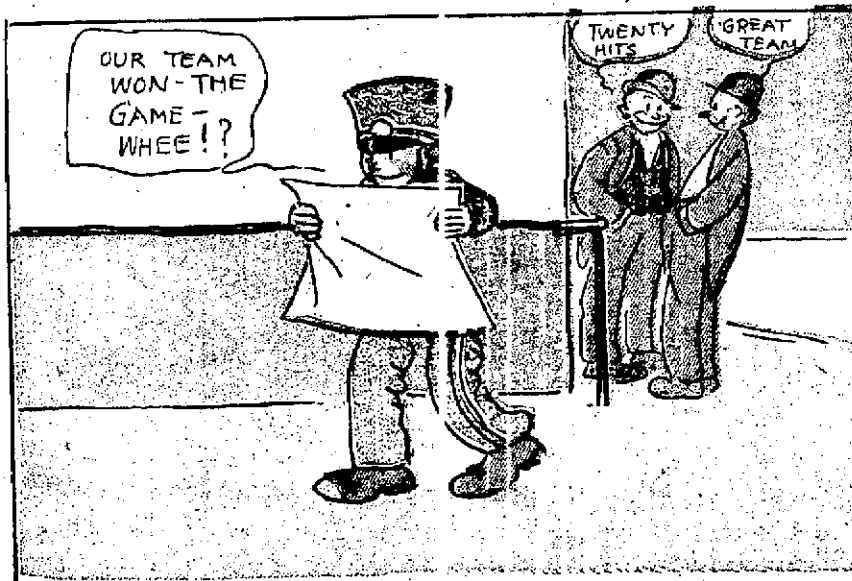
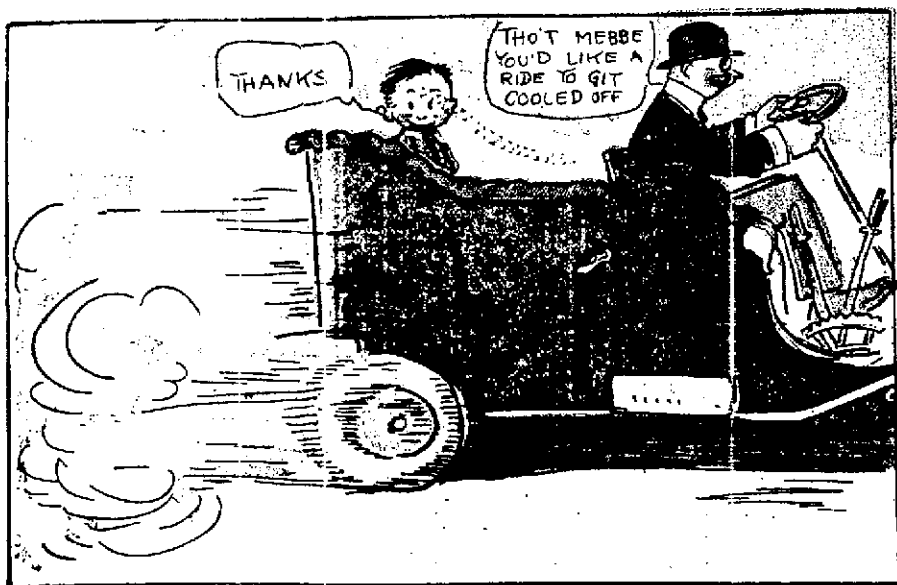
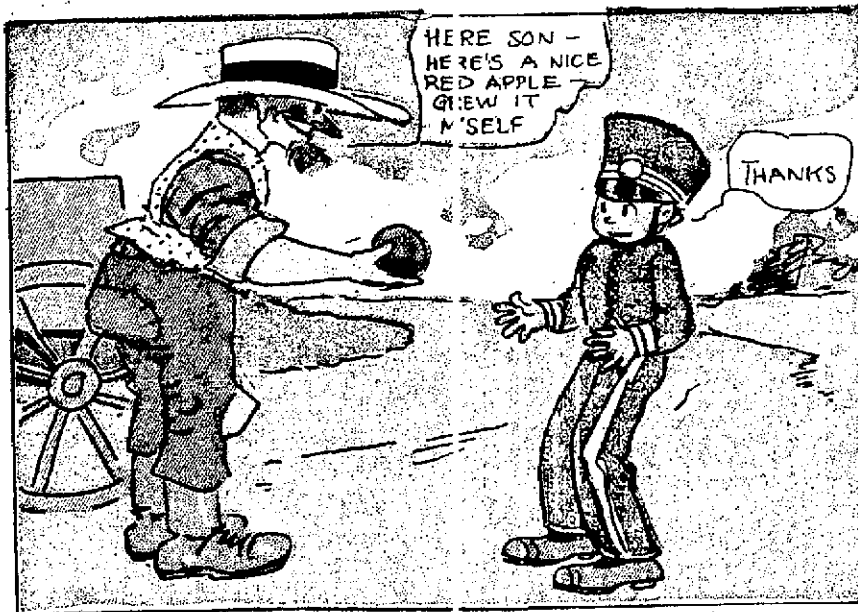
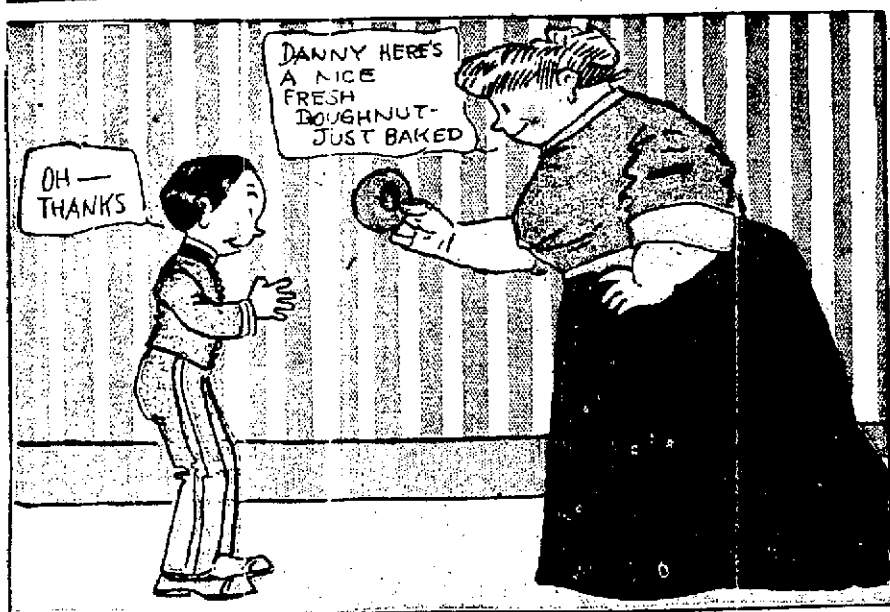
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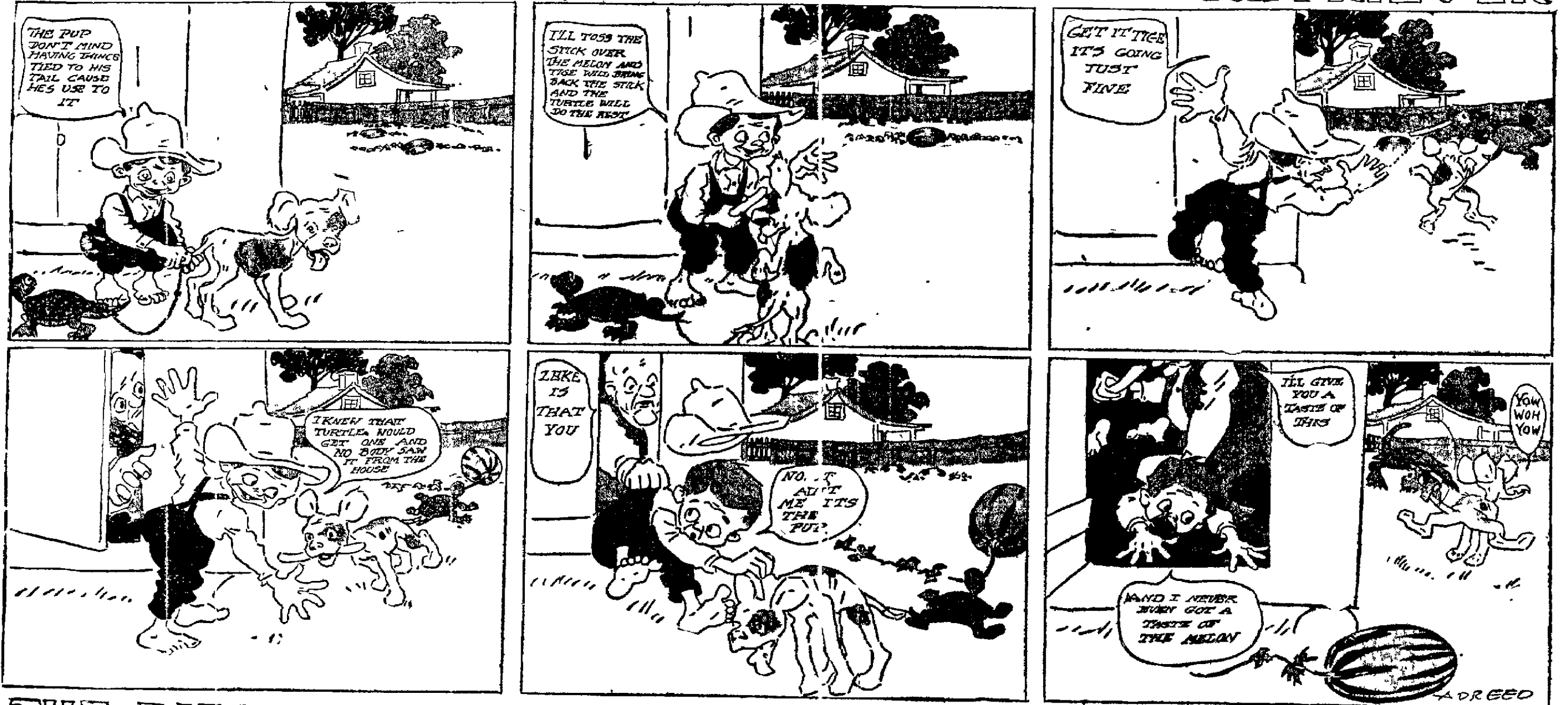
DANNY IS DREADFULLY SUPERSTITIOUS. FOR INSTANCE - ON THE THIRTEENTH HE IMAGINES THIS



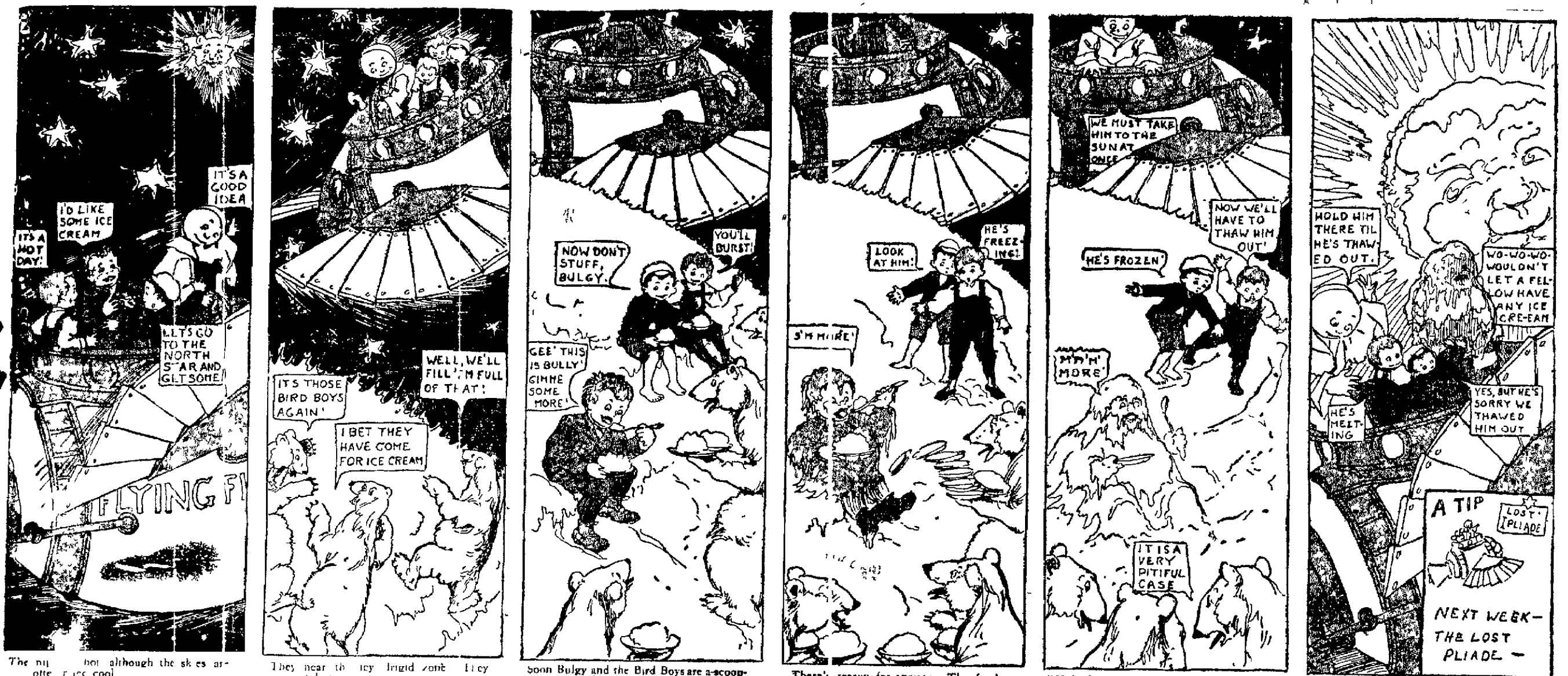
BUT! HOO-RAY! THIS IS THE GLORIOUS WAY HE REALLY LIVED THE THIRTEENTH



ZEKE SMART TRIES A MELON RETRIEVER



THE BIRD BOYS AND THEIR AIRSHIP, THE FLYING FISH.



The night is hot, although the skies are quite cool. When the boys yearn for ice cream he's declared no such a fool. The North Star region is the place where ice cream mounds are wrought, The ship is headed northward, then, with a second thought.

They hear the icy liquid vault. They catch it unawares. A quick and glad reception is afforded by the bears. The Bird Boys soon are recognized— They've been that way before. The best is now made ready from that wondrous ice cream store.

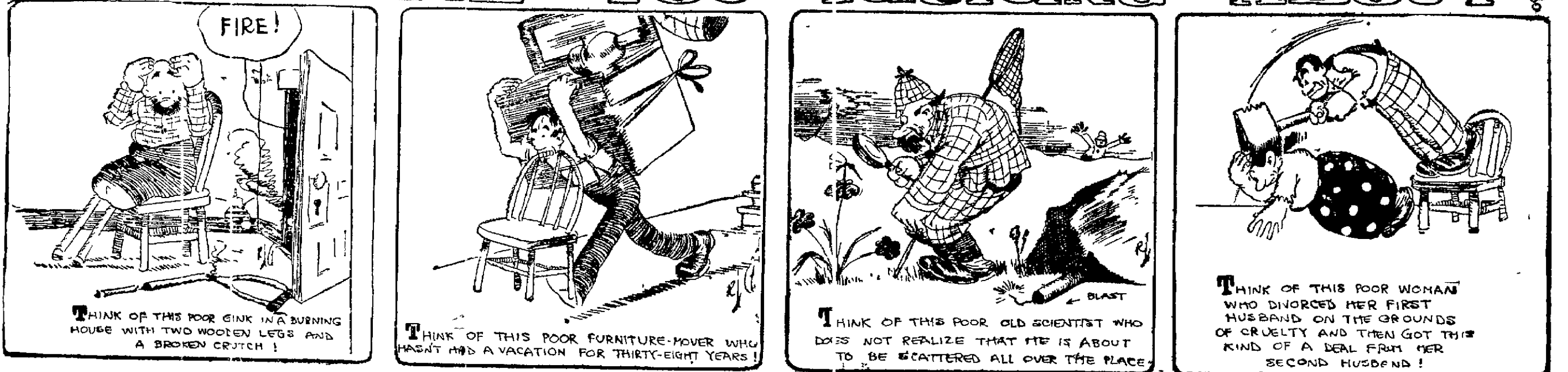
Soon Bulgy and the Bird Boys are a-scooping on the cream. The goodness of the mixture makes the incident a dream. But Mr. Moon retires to smoke; he's quickly had enough. Then Bill and Budd find cause to warn plump Bulgy not to "stuff."

There's reason for anxiety. The fat boy scoops it down. So that if it were liquid he assuredly would drown. "Some more!" he ever murmurs, and he cleans plate after plate. The boys are high exhausted by the unexpected rate.

"He's frozen!" cry the Bird Boys, and their fear is mixed with woe. Poor Bulgy now appears to them a heap of ice and snow. His hunger still is not appeased. He starts an icy roar. And while the polars shake their heads he, briskly shouts for "more!"

There's just a single remedy in such a case as that. The Bird Boys promptly try it on their friend of thirst and fat. They grasp his stiffened bulkiness around the icy belt. And shoot him to the humid sun to sizzle and to melt.

WHAT ARE YOU KICKING ABOUT?



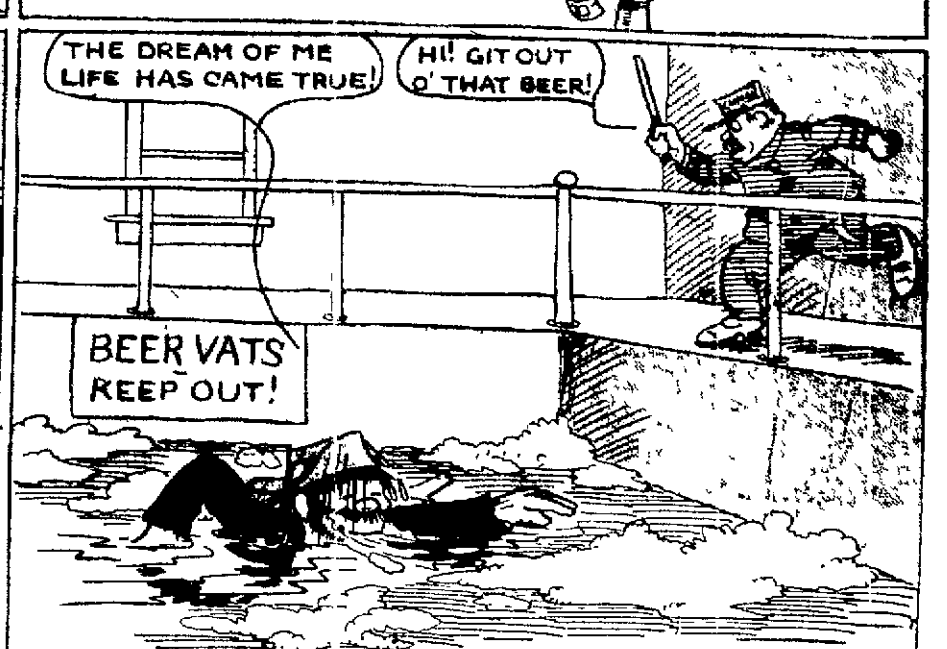
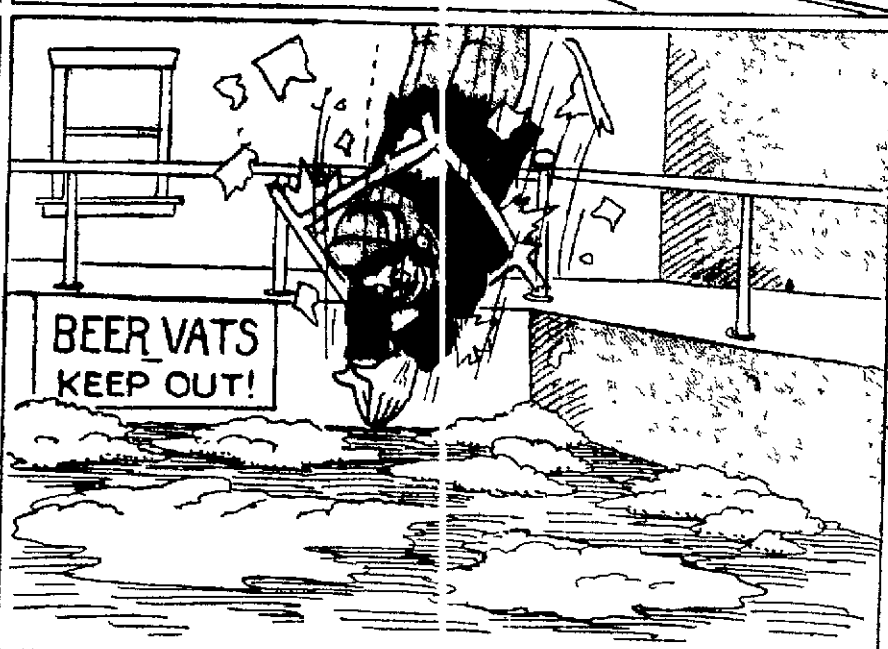
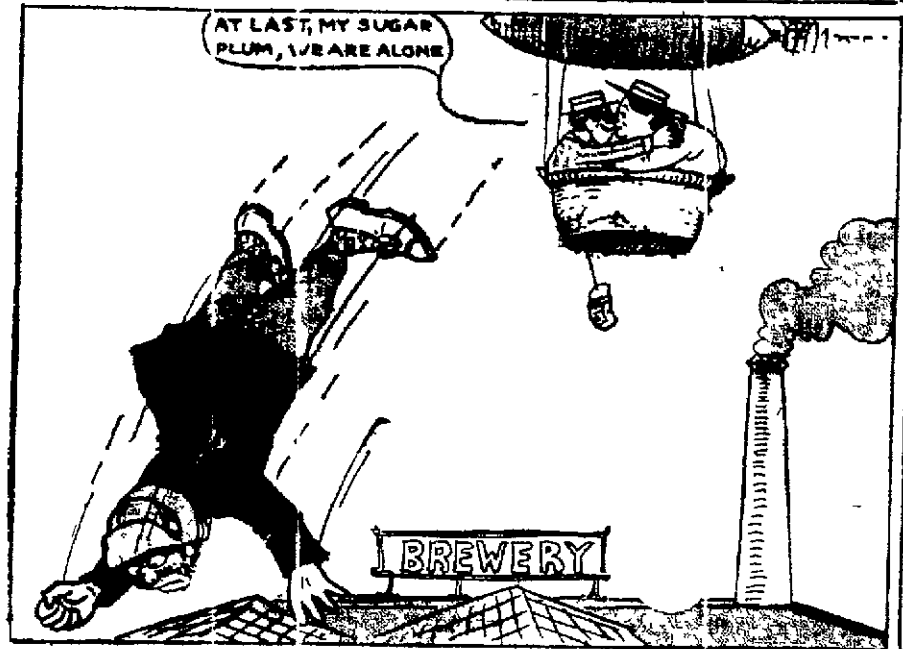
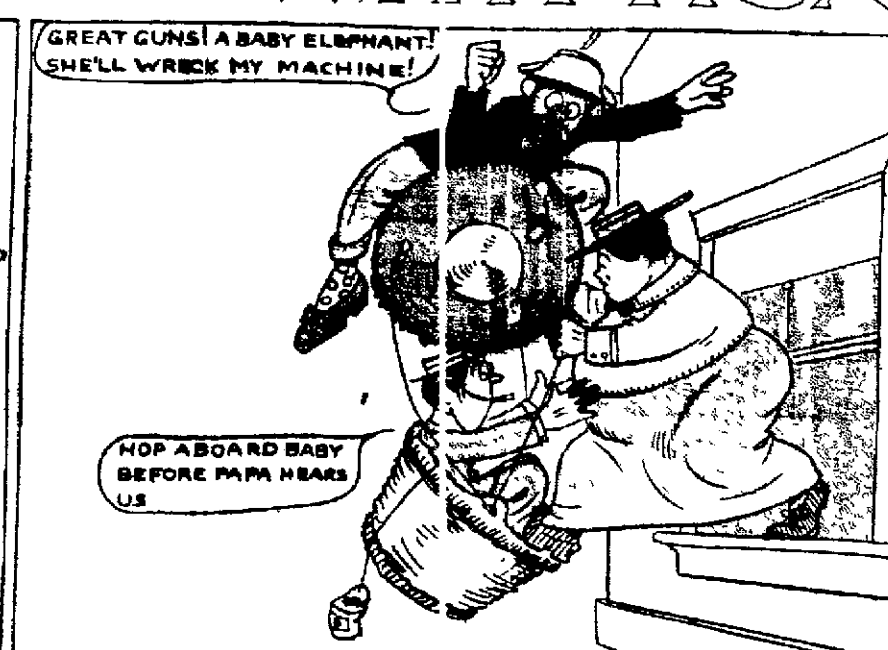
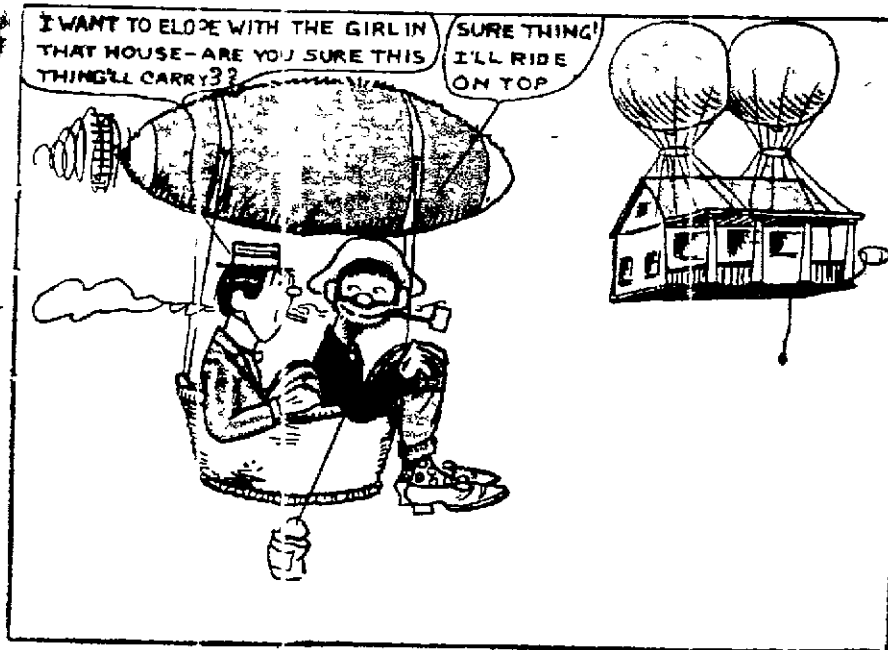
THINK OF THIS POOR GINK IN A BURNING HOUSE WITH TWO WOODEN LEGS AND A BROKEN CRUTCH!

THINK OF THIS POOR FURNITURE-MOVER WHO HASN'T HAD A VACATION FOR THIRTY-EIGHT YEARS!

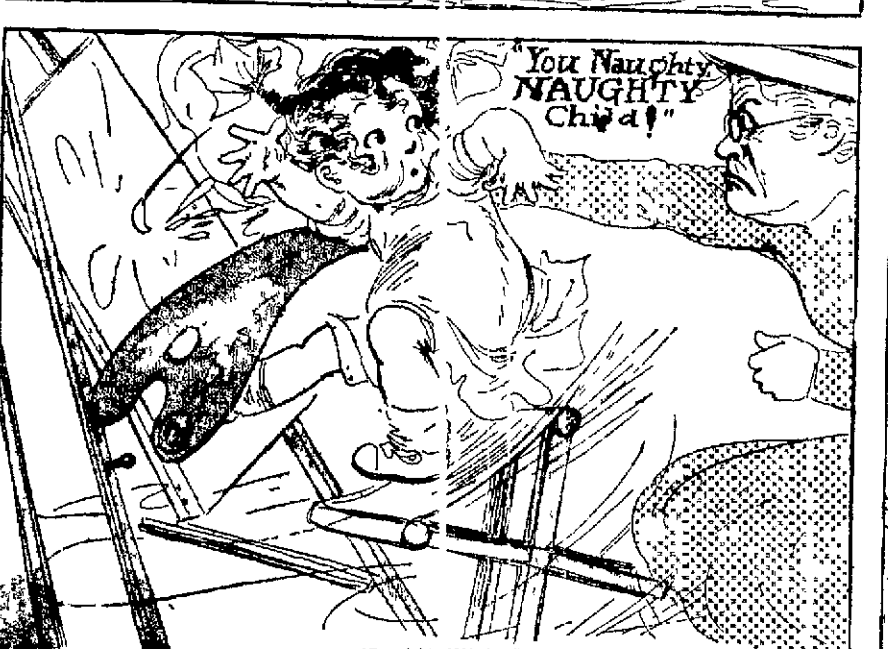
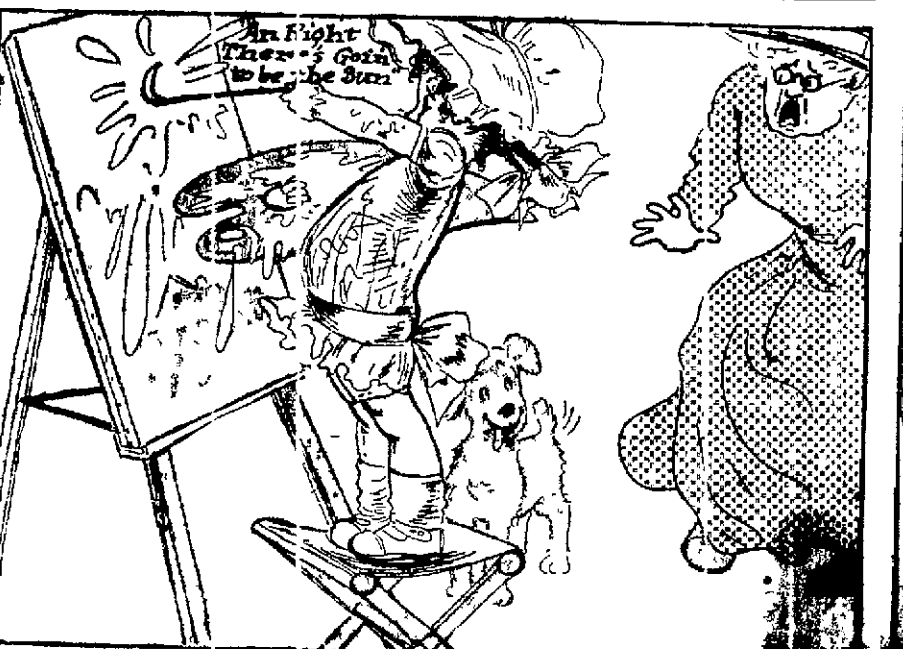
THINK OF THIS POOR OLD SCIENTIST WHO DOES NOT REALIZE THAT HE IS ABOUT TO BE SCATTERED ALL OVER THE PLACE.

THINK OF THIS POOR WOMAN WHO DIVORCED HER FIRST HUSBAND ON THE GROUNDS OF CRUELTY AND THEN GOT THE KIND OF A DEAL FROM HER SECOND HUSBAND!

UP IN THE AIR WITH HUNGRY HALLEY



MAMMA'S ANGEL CHILD HAS AN EYE FOR COLOR



FOOLISH LIMERICKS NOW AND THEN ARE RELISHED BY THE BEST OF MEN.



A man hit a mule with a maul,
While steal ng in stealth past his stall
The mule put his heels
Where the man old his
And the bels are no penline h'

There once was a fellow named Carroll,
Who went out a swimming at Darrell
In the m d of a stroke
Somethng tight must have broke,
or be ud to go home in a barrel

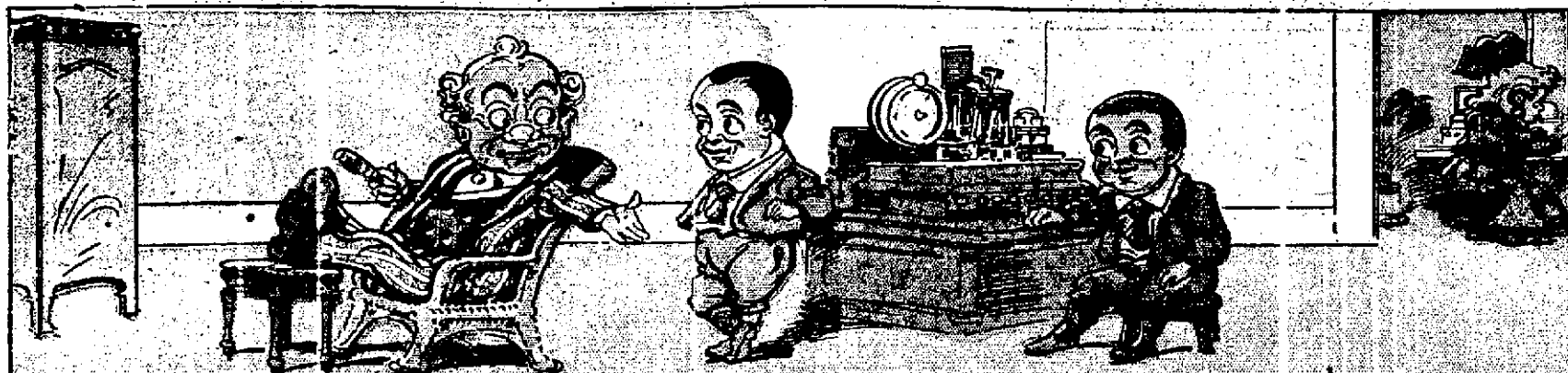
There once was a Franciscan friar,
Who by accident fell on the fire
He was helped by a bloke,
Who yelled, "Holy smoke!
Good father, you've scorched your attire'

There once was a fellow named James,
Who said, "Ah, there's nothing in names."
So the Italian cop
He called "Guinea" and "Wap "
An l they're still picking up the remains.

-H. S. L. Kansas

-Elizabeth Gordon, Chicago.

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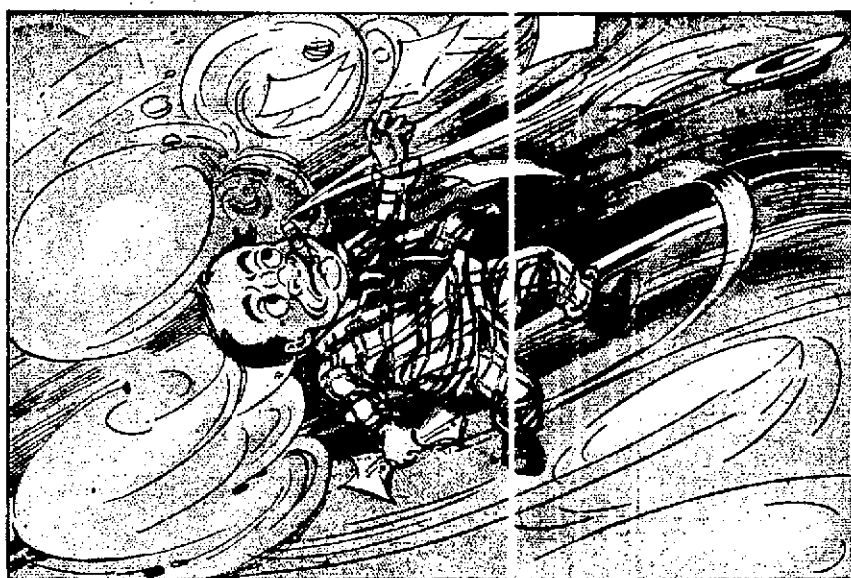
Monkeying with wireless telegraph, Billy? Well, keep up the experimenting and maybe you'll some day be a famous discoverer like I once was. You wouldn't be playing wireless now, though, if I hadn't discovered electricity. Franklin? Well, don't you place too much reliance in that story. The real facts about Ben never have come to be public property. Franklin was a good man with maxims and those things, but when it came to electricity—that's where history is wrong.

OLD OPIE DILLDOCK'S STORIES

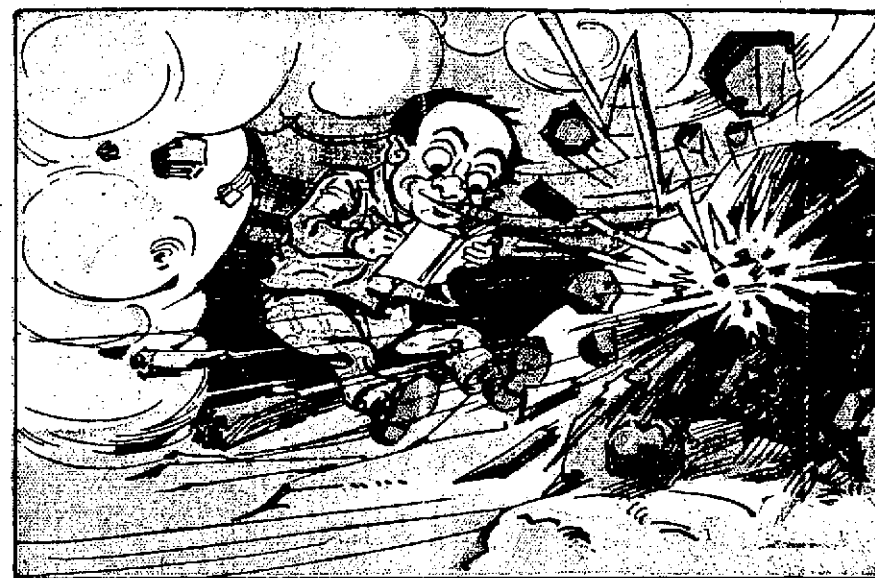
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Some years ago I had developed a perfect mania for writing scientific articles for the big magazines. So engrossed did I become in writing one of these stories one day I did not notice that a gigantic cyclone had sprung up, lifted me off the ground, and carried me high in the air. However, I did not change my position, and continued to write furiously.



I was floating in the air, my mind intent on the heavy problems involved in the story on which I was working, never dreaming I was thousands of miles above the earth, when an unusually fierce gust of wind tore from my hands some of the valuable sheets on which I had scribbled a number of my brainy solutions to scientific problems.



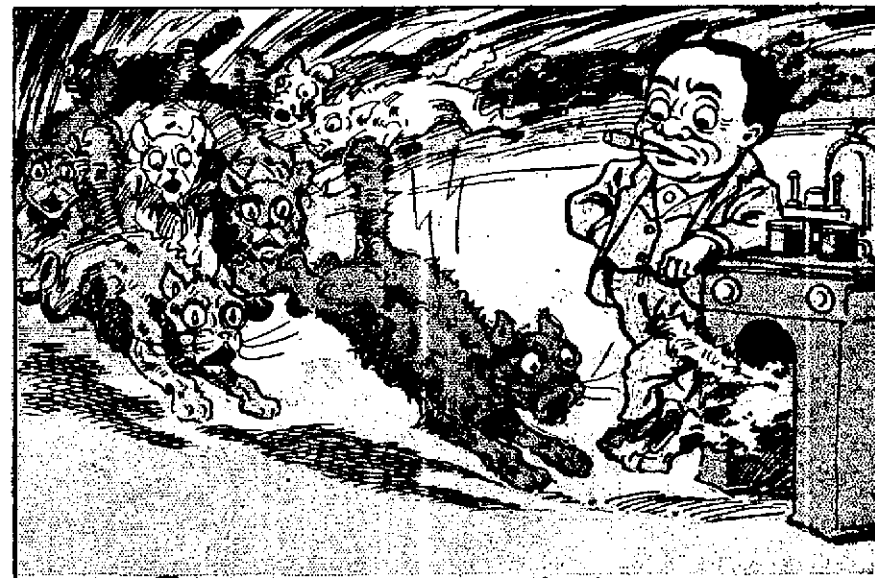
At that time the application of but one thing was needed to solve the particular problem in which I was wrapped up, and that one thing I could not think of. What was it? And just then the elements answered for me. A large rock was struck and split open by an arrow of lightning. — A great light dawned—my problem was solved—ELECTRICITY.



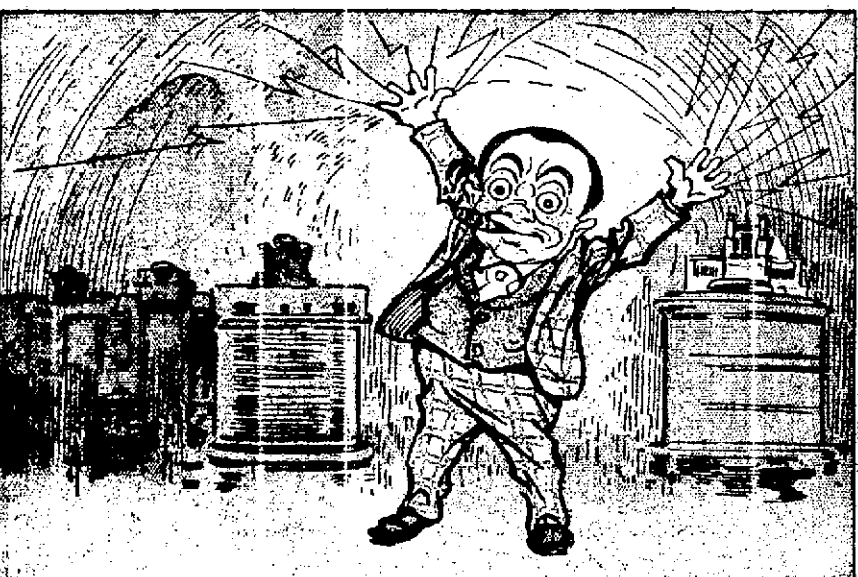
How to concentrate this more than dynamic force, this irresistible power, was my one thought as I descended to terra firma. I loaded a gun with thousands of lead bullets, shot them in the air where they drew the magnetic flashes, and made them drop in water filled tanks, where the electrical volts were stored.



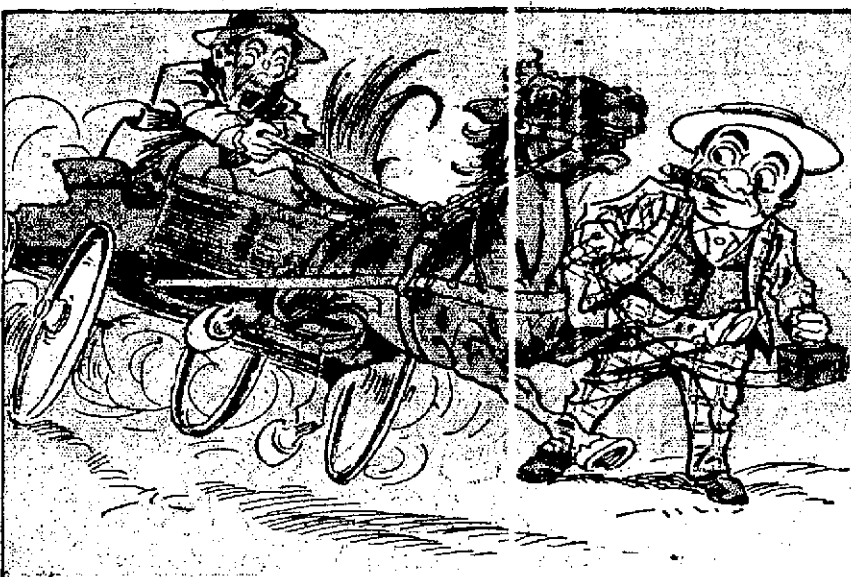
Carelessly I had left one bullet in the gun. A few drops of water found its way into the barrel, and the water drew the current into the throat of the rifle. There was a violent concussion, and during the convulsion your Uncle Opie was shot into the air and given one of the hardest jolts he ever received. But—what of that?



Next day I evolved the storage battery. A crude undertaking to be sure, but all great discoveries must have a beginning. Cornering the market on cats, I stored them in a large room, rubbed their fur until they crackled like firecrackers, and chased them, in an almost never ending stream, into a large storage battery I had constructed.



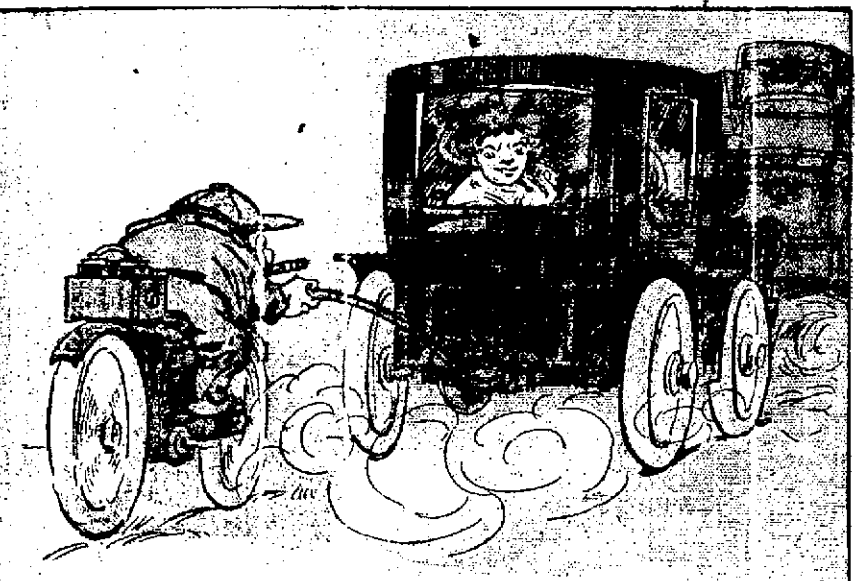
In my laboratory I worked long and hard solving the principles of elementary electricity. Little did I then realize what a boon to the civilized world my discovery would be. Storage batteries of all sizes and dimensions stood about me, merely awaiting the touch of my magnetic hand to set them in motion.



Next, I built a little storage battery that I carried about in my hand for experimenting. I began in a small way by applying electricity to an old plug of a horse that my bosom friend Ben, Allison, was driving. This old steed never was known to even trot, but on application of my electricity he literally burned up the road.



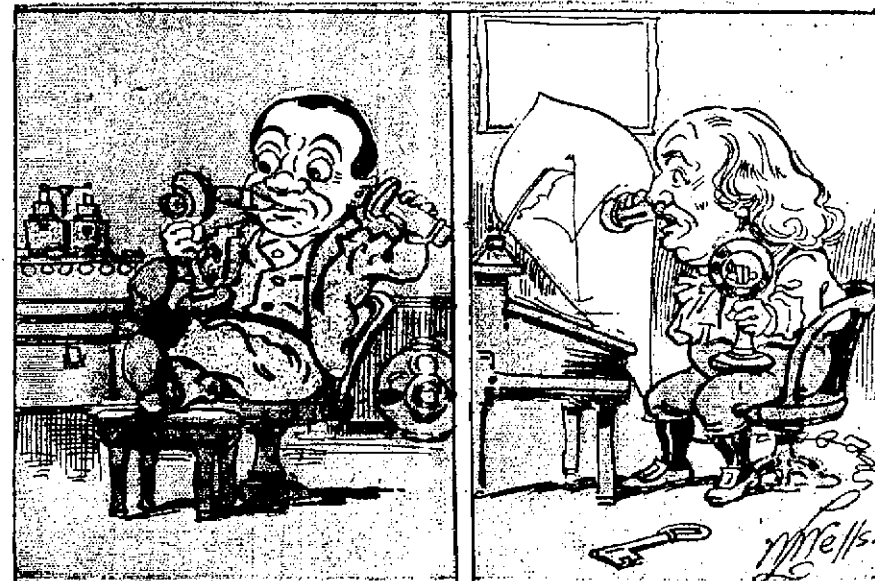
Then I took my little battery and started for a subway in which an army of laborers were excavating. They were using primitive blasts, when I jumped in with my pet discovery and excavated for three days at the rate of two miles a minute. The men received full pay for several months and didn't do a stroke of work after I started.



Later, I used to saunter down the streets and watch for disabled, runabouts, trucks, and other electrical conveyances. Most of these I found to be crippled owing to a defective charging of the motors, and this defect I quickly remedied by application of my little contrivance.



And once when the city was celebrating its hundredth anniversary I furnished a novel illumination by procuring thousands of electric eels, clustering them about the municipal buildings, attaching wires to them, and turning on a mild current. Their radiance could be seen for hundreds of miles.



One day I telephoned my old friend Ben Franklin. "I've discovered electricity, Ben," I said. "How are you talking to me through space, Opie?" asked Ben. "Wireless telephone," said I. "I've just invented it. I'm too modest, Ben, to claim the discovery of electricity, so you can have the honor."